Today's Weather.
Fair and Cooler for Pittsburgh and Vicinity.

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### Ex-Senator Vest Is Worse.

SWEET SPRINGS, MO., Aug. 1.—Former United States Senator Vest's condition today is not as good as yesterday. He is losing strength perceptibly, although he takes nourishment.

## THE WEATHER

Cooler today and fair and warmer tomorrow is the prediction of the Washington weather man for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 88 and the minimum 71 degrees. The humidity was 78 per cent in the morning and 57 per cent last night. The sun rose cloudy at 5:15 and set cloudy at 7:37 o'clock yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Cooler.

| Time. | Baro. | Tem. | Hum. | Wind. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 a. m.... | 30.04 | 74 | 78 | N. W. | Pt. Cldy. |
| 8 p. m.... | 29.94 | 80 | 57 | W. | Cloudy. |

Comparative temperature and precipitation for August 1:

| | 1904 | 1903 | | 1904 | 1903 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Maximum ... | 88 | 77 | Mean ..... | 80 | 66 |
| Minimum ... | 71 | 56 | Precipitation . | .. | .. |

Nor. temp. 31 yrs. 74
Exc. for day.... 6
Dfcy. since Aug. 1. 12
Exc. since Jan. 1..1,04
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.479

### Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Tuesday, with cooler in south portion; Wednesday fair and warmer; fresh northwest winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday, light to fresh north winds, shifting to south.

West Virginia—Fair in west, showers in the east portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair and warmer.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 72 | Cloudy | New York | 74 | Rain |
| Cairo | 72 | Rain | Philadelphia | 74 | Cloudy |
| Chicago | 64 | Clear | New Orleans | 78 | Pt Cldy |
| Memphis | 80 | Cloudy | Cincinnati | 82 | Cloudy |
| St. Louis | 80 | Pt Cldy | Indianapolis | 80 | Cloudy |
| El Paso | 88 | Cloudy | Louisville | 82 | Cloudy |
| Omaha | 74 | Pt Cldy | Des Moines | 74 | Pt Cldy |
| Nashville | 76 | Cloudy | Washington | 74 | Cloudy |
| Vicksburg | 72 | Clear | Marquette | 56 | Clear |
| Helena | 86 | Clear | Kansas City | 76 | Clear |
| Huron | 76 | Clear | | | |

# RUSSIAN LINE IS CUT IN TWO

## Japanese Severe Stakelberg's Force from Army Under Kuropatkin.

## GEN. KELLER SLAIN

### Desperate Efforts Are Making to Rush Czar's Troops Back to Harbin.

### CRITICAL HOUR IS AT HAND

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

London, Aug. 1.—A dispatch to a news agency from Tokyo says there is reason to believe that after two days' fighting the Japanese occupied Simou-Cheng, thus cutting off Gen. Stakelberg from Gen. Kuropatkin.

The correspondent of the London Times with Gen. Kuroki in the field, in a dispatch dated July 31, says:

"This army began a general attack at daylight today which lasted until sunset. The Japanese center took the town, capturing the enemy's northeastern positions.

"The left advanced and occupied a position jeopardizing the Russian right. The Japanese right carried the position against superior numbers.

"There was tremendous artillery firing throughout the day and the infantry finished with a brilliant march under the enemy's shrapnel. I believe that the Russian position will be untenable tomorrow."

The foregoing dispatch does not name the town captured by the Japanese. It may refer to Simou-Cheng, reports of the capture of which have been sent out from Tokyo.

HAI-CHENG, Aug 1, 5:45 p. m.—An artillery duel raged all day along the whole front, but the Russians hold their positions.

The Japanese on Saturday attacked the heights of Kangwa pass, the right of the Russian position at Simou-Cheng. Under cover of the artillery the Japanese infantry charged, but the Russian guns drove them back in confusion and silenced two of their batteries. Between Hai-Chang and Ta-Tche-Kiao the same day, there was a long distance artillery duel, which had little effect.

On Saturday night the Japanese made a desperate assault on Kang-Wai heights with the bayonet. A hand-to-hand fight ensued, but the Japanese were again repulsed.

The Japanese are said to have employed their customary trick while advancing of shouting in Russian: "Don't fire, we are friends."

The Japanese renewed the attack at daylight yesterday, training all their guns on Kang-wai heights. By 6 o'clock the fight had developed along the whole front of the 14 miles, and was especially hot against Gen. Mistchenko. The Russian artillery did magnificently, several times forcing the Japanese batteries to shift their positions. The Russians are holding all their positions at the hour when this dispatch is sent from Hai-Cheng.

### Russians Flee to North.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—(4:05 a. m.)—A report from an apparently reliable source late tonight says that Gen. Kuropatkin's main force had been rapidly moving north for several days.

According to this report, no troops proceeding to the front from Russia had gone past Harbin in the past three days. They will be detrained there and every available piece of rolling stock will be rushed south empty, for the removing of troops at Liao-Yang and other points to the northward, leaving a skeleton force to contest the Japanese advance on vital positions. When the present line to the southeast is forced, the Japanese will find that they have crushed only the shell. Should this prove to be so, Gen. Kuropatkin will doubtless be obliged to destroy the immense quantity of stores accumulated at Liao-Yang.

Shrewd military critics, however, do not believe that Gen. Kuropatkin can escape a general engagement. His army forms a wedge, with Gen. Oku hammering away at the point and Gens. Nodzu and Kuroki operating with driving movements of great force against the sides. If one of the latter should break through, the southern force would be doomed.

### General Keller Is Slain.

The emperor today received the following dispatch, dated July 31, from Gen. Kuropatkin:

"All our positions were retained at Simoucheng when the fighting ceased at 6:45 p. m., July 30, but I have not yet received reports of the operations on our extreme right flank. We retained all our positions held by our eastern force at Yangsee pass. Gen. Keller, commanding, had chosen this as the point from which to watch the fight. A battery near him was exposed to heavier fire than any other and he was mortally wounded. He died at 2 o'clock in the afternoon."

Lieut.-Gen. Count Keller at the opening of the war was in command of the Second Siberian army division. He was 54 years old and resigned the governorship of Ekaterinoslaff in order to go to the front.

Gen. Keller took part in the three campaigns of the Russo-Turkish war. In 1887 he commanded the Imperial Rifle regiment and later was director of the corps of imperial pages, by which he came in contact with the members of the imperial family, with whom he was in great favor.

Gen. Keller was considered to be the possessor of cool judgment and to be a fine strategist. Though a strict disciplinarian, he was a kind and careful officer and popular with his men. He wore a short, gray beard, had keen blue eyes and dressed in khaki. His only decoration was the cross of the military order of St. George, which he wore on the breast of his tunic. He sustained two reverses at the hands of the Japanese re-

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## INTERESTING SCENES AT UNION STOCKYARDS, HERRS ISLAND

(Photographs by Emil J. Klee, Staff Photographer.)

No. 1—Supt. Simon O'Donnell in the center surrounded by some of his best cattle experts.
No. 2—A fine lot of hogs being driven to the scales.
No. 3—Cattle buyers and sellers in front of the stock yards hotel.
No. 4—W. L. Miller of Chillicothe, Ohio, stock raiser and farmer, dickering with George J. Pfordt, buyer for the Penn Traffic Co., of Johnstown, Pa.
No. 5—Prize lot of cattle consigned to local butchers.

# FIVE PERSONS DIE FROM HEAT

## The Return of Torrid Weather Causes Intense Suffering in This Vicinity.

### THREE WERE PROSTRATED

With the return of torrid weather to this section more deaths and prostrations caused by the heat are being added daily to the already long list for this summer. The temperature was not quite so high yesterday as on the previous day, but as people were working there was much suffering and the heat was felt more. The record for the day is five deaths and three prostrations.

THE DEAD:

**ANTOINETTE BROGASKY,** aged 9 months, Mulberry alley, near Thirty-third street.

**JAMES,** 3-months-old son of James Hasley of Otto station, near McKeesport.

**ANNIE,** aged 3 months, daughter of R. Stepanwitch, 602 Fourth avenue, McKeesport.

**MARY,** aged 4 months, daughter of Michael Kirsch, Second avenue, McKeesport.

**MARY,** aged 4, daughter of William Hartman, East McKeesport.

THE PROSTRATED:

**DETECTIVE A. BIRENKRANT** of McKeesport, in a critical condition at his home.

**ELMER CLARK,** a negro, overcome while working in Black Diamond steel works. He was removed to his home in Brushton.

**UNKNOWN MAN,** found unconscious from heat in Irwin avenue, Allegheny, last night and sent to the Allegheny General hospital.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 88 degrees and the minimum 71. The afternoon was very hot and for several hours it was almost impossible to walk on the sunny side of the street because of the sun's burning rays. Even out in the open parks few people ventured to get far away from the shade. While the trees and grassy spots looked cool, there was little comfort lying under the trees, as no air was blowing and the humidity was almost unbearable.

While the afternoon sun blazed those who did not have to be out remained indoors and during the hottest part of the day there were not more than a dozen visitors in Highland park. Late in the afternoon many little parties arrived at the park and in almost every instance the people brought lunch baskets with them and the evening meal was spread out on the grass.

The official hourly temperatures for yesterday were:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Midnight | 78 | 11 a. m. | 82 |
| 1 a. m. | 78 | Noon | 84 |
| 2 a. m. | 75 | 1 p. m. | 84 |
| 3 a. m. | 75 | 2 p. m. | 84 |
| 4 a. m. | 73 | 3 p. m. | 85 |
| 5 a. m. | 71 | 4 p. m. | 88 |
| 6 a. m. | 72 | 5 p. m. | 88 |
| 7 a. m. | 75 | 6 p. m. | 84 |
| 8 a. m. | 74 | 7 p. m. | 82 |
| 9 a. m. | 78 | 8 p. m. | 80 |
| 10 a. m. | 80 | | |

Cooler conditions are predicted by the weather man today, and fair and warmer for tomorrow in this section.

## WILL PREACH BY MEGAPHONE.

### West Virginia Minister to Orate from Mountain—Tight Rope Performance Is Promised the Audience.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Using the "Devil's Tea Table" for a pulpit and standing on a mountain top in imitation of St. Paul, the Rev. John Joe Copen, a Baptist minister from Standingstone will preach next Sunday to an immense congregation in Wirt county, and will use a megaphone to carry the sound of his voice so all can hear.

He announced that it will be an all-day meeting; that he will have a tight rope and trapez performance at the place of preaching in order to entertain the people, and a basket picnic will be one of the day's features.

Rev. Copen is an eccentric but earnest minister, known as "The Cyclone Exhorter of West Virginia." It is expected that several thousand persons will hear him preach.

# CHAMBERLAIN INVITES TEST AT THE POLLS

## Defends Himself Against Attacks of Lord Hugh Cecil and Other Free Traders in Commons.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Aug. 1.—In the house of commons today the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, moved the vote of censure which he moved July 15 as a result of the prominent part taken by leading members of the cabinet in the proceedings of the Liberal-Unionist council July 14, during which a resolution was passed approving the fiscal policy of Joseph Chamberlain. Colonial Secretary Lyttleton defended the action taken by Foreign Minister Lansdowne and Lord Selborne, first lord of the admiralty, in becoming officers of the new Liberal-Unionist association.

Joseph Chamberlain, in defending himself against the heated attacks of Lord Hugh Cecil and other free traders declared the only difference between himself and Premier Balfour was that the latter did not think the country would consent to colonial preference, as it involved a food tax. Personally Mr. Chamberlain said he was certain the question was ripe for submission to the country and the sooner the general election came the sooner he would be pleased. The policy of preference, Mr. Chamberlain maintained, was more urgent than that of retaliation. The opportunity for establishing preference was slipping away and soon would disappear. He urged Mr. Balfour to call a conference of the colonial representatives to ascertain what they wished and were prepared to do in order that the country might discover whether he had based his policy on knowledge and experience.

Premier Balfour said he thought the motion was one of the most foolish which had ever been submitted to parliament.

## TO LEAVE BLACK SEA.

### Russia's Volunteer Fleet There Is Under Orders to Move at an Early Date.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Sebastopol correspondent of the Times asserts positively that the entire Russian volunteer fleet now in the Black sea, with other large steamers which have been taken over by the government, are under orders for government service outside the Black sea at an early date.

### Bandits Hold Up a Train.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Five robbers tonight held up an Illinois Central passenger train between Flossmore and Matteson, about 25 miles from Chicago. Several of the passengers were robbed, and it is said that one person who resisted was seriously wounded by the robbers.

# BUILDING TRADES IN FOR FRESH STRUGGLE

## Latest Strike Incenses New York Employers' Association Into Preparing for Finish Fight.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Building Trades Alliance, made up of 17 unions, declared a strike today against the George A. Fuller Company, and work was tied up on these buildings:

The Times, Forty-second street and Broadway; Sturtevant building, Twenty-ninth street and Broadway; Trinity building, next to Trinity church; New York Hippodrome, Forty-third street and Broadway, and Taber building, Wall and Pearl streets.

Philip Weinsheimer, president of the Building Trades' alliance, who declared the strike on the subway last week, is responsible for the strike today. He alleges that the Fuller company has been using stone from non-union quarries and trimming yards. In some quarters it is said the actual reason for the strike was a fear that the Building Trades Employers' association would declare a lockout.

At a meeting today the board of governors of the employers' association formulated a letter which was sent to each of the unions in the Building Trades' alliance. While it was admitted that the action taken was of very decided importance, the employers refused to reveal the contents of the letter. Charles L. Kidlitz, president of the association, said the stand taken was "firm." Another member of the board said a resolution had been adopted which in effect rescinded an agreement previously made with the unions.

The strike and today's move of the employers promise to involve the employers and the union men in another gigantic struggle. The employers assert that if they are driven to it they will declare war to the finish on the unions, and employ non-union men under an open shop policy.

## RUSSIA WILL SEARCH SHIPS.

### Officially Announces the Fact, Also the Release of the British Steamer Malacca.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—The government has issued an official announcement of the release of the steamer Malacca which was seized in the Red sea by the Russian volunteer fleet cruisers.

It states that the liberation of the vessel was due to the declaration by the British government that the cargo was the property of the state, but says it must not be deduced from this fact that the imperial government abandons its intention of sending out isolated cruisers as well as warships generally to search for contraband of war intended for Japan.

# MEAT SITUATION MUCH RELIEVED

## Receipts of Cattle at Herrs Island Stock Yards Broke All Records.

### PRICES ARE EASING OFF

A meat famine in Greater Pittsburgh is not to be feared. All doubt as to the ability of this city to provide meat for her hungry thousands was removed yesterday at the Pittsburgh Union stock yards, on Herrs Island, where the receipts of cattle broke all records since the yards were removed from East Liberty. According to Supt. Simon O'Donnell, the 240 cars of cattle received marked the highest record ever made on the island. Nearly 200 cars of cattle had arrived by 1 o'clock yesterday morning and the early morning trains brought more stock. Western Pennsylvania contributed largely to the shipments but large consignments were also received from Ohio, West Virginia and Indiana.

During the early selling hours fully 500 buyers were in attendance. A large number came from towns outside of Pittsburgh where the Chicago strike is said to be causing more inconvenience than here.

The day was characterized by what butchers term a hard market. It was seen early in the day that the arrivals were heavier than the demand warranted. An average day's receipts of cattle at the stock yards is 150 cars. When 200 cars are in it is called a big day, and 240 cars, the amount received yesterday, is in itself enough to put a damper on the market. Aside from this fact the reports received before noon indicated heavy receipts of cattle at other important points. At Chicago 20,000 head of cattle were unloaded. Buffalo reported 275 carloads of cattle and 50 carloads were on the market at Jersey City. Reports from these points indicated weaker prices and this had a depressing effect upon local sales. As a result of these conditions the price of beat cattle dropped before noon from 25 to 40 cents lower than one week ago. Sales were slow and late in the afternoon some dealers had not sold out.

## EARTH IS SPLIT OPEN TO "FIRE MOUNTAIN"

### Result of a Shaking Up in the Vicinity of Historic Disasters in Mexico.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 1.—Inhabitants of Zapotlan, state of Jalisco, and surrounding villages in the vicinity of the Colima volcano have been greatly excited by the opening of the earth in an almost unbroken line from a point near Zapotlan to the very base of the erratic "fire mountain."

This crack is supposed to have been the result of recent earthquakes. It is several feet wide at various points along its length, and that it is of considerable depth is proved by the disappearance in it of water which, washing down the mountainside, usually finds its way to the creeks in the valley below.

The vicinity of Colima has been frequently visited by earthquakes of a more or less disastrous character from time immemorial.

## FOREIGNERS THREATENED BY PRESIDENT OF HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI, Aug. 1.—At a public reception today President Nord accused the foreign population of raising the rate of exchange in order to oppose the government. He added some threatening words, which have alarmed the foreign colony. The rate of exchange is 600 per cent.

# BEEF STRIKE IS WEAKENING

## Packers Buy Largely and Ship Out 400 Cars of Fresh Meat.

### UNION MEN DESERT

### Claim Is Made That 2,000 Have Now Abandoned Their Comrades.

### NEW TACTICS ARE ADOPTED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

Chicago, Aug. 1.—This was a busy day with the packers. With increased forces of skilled workers and their operating departments more thoroughly equipped than at any time since the beginning of the strike, the employers took a firm grip on the machinery of their affairs. As a result the stock yards took on the old hum of activity to a great extent.

More than 78,000 head of live stock was received today. This is an increase of 30,000 head over the receipts on the corresponding day last week. Such an enormous amount under normal conditions would have had a depressing effect on the market and today, when the train loads of animals began to pour into the yards, stockmen and traders feared a panic.

But it did not occur. Prices were lowered sharply, but the fact that the market held so well as it did, seemed to prove that the packers are prepared to increase their output.

The big packers bought about 8,000 cattle, 18,000 hogs and 10,000 sheep during the day. Before nightfall, 80 per cent of these purchases had been slaughtered. Further proof of the assertions of the packers that the difficulties of the strike are being overcome was furnished by the shipment of 500 carloads of fresh meats from the stockyards. Of this number, 400 cars were loaded and shipped by the firms affected by the strike.

The following statement of the number of men on strike and at work was furnished by the packers:

| | On strike. | At work. |
|---|---|---|
| Swift's | 5,384 | 3,341 |
| Armour's | 6,002 | 3,517 |
| National | 6,100 | 3,083 |
| Nelson Morris | 4,123 | 2,672 |
| Schwarzschild & Sulzberger | 1,534 | 602 |
| Libby, McNeil & Libby | 2,886 | 1,087 |
| Totals | 25,534 | 14,782 |

Of this total, 2,941 are union men.

### Shipped Beef Everywhere.

These shipments were consigned to all parts of the world, 80 carloads being billed to Boston for export. These shipments followed 280 carloads of meat sent out by the packers on Saturday, and represent only a part of the business that is going on in spite of the strike.

As near as could be estimated tonight, 339 union men of the various trades on strike, returned to work during today. Of this number many were skilled workers. The packers say today's desertions make the total number of strikers who have returned to work 2,000.

Chief of Police O'Neill tonight declared his belief that peace is in sight, and that by Thursday great changes will be seen tending toward a peaceful end.

### Factory Inspector Takes Action.

State Factory Inspector Davies today procured eight warrants for William B. Farris, superintendent for Nelson Morris & Co., charging Mr. Farris with working four children, all under the age of 16 years, longer hours than the law permits, and for employing such children without proper school age certificates.

The allied trades also contemplate a move against the sanitary conditions at the big plants.

The matter of housing strike breakers in the stock yards was taken up today at a meeting of the allied trades. The meeting appointed a committee to wait upon City Building Commissioner Williams and protest against the use of buildings in the stock yards as lodging houses, boarding houses or hotels. A resolution which was adopted recites that the stock yards structures are not designed or licensed as either lodging houses, boarding houses or hotels, and that the lack of fire protection is a wholesale menace to life.

### Police Quell a Riot.

A fight in which a squad of police, summoned by a riot call, had to use their clubs against a crowd of strike sympathizers, occurred this afternoon in an alley near the yards. The police won the day and took into custody two of the men who had beaten George Guschia, a strike breaker, so badly that his life is despaired of.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—Deputy Sheriff Burke, who shot and killed William McLaughlin, a striker, in East St. Louis, was exonerated today by the coroner's jury.

### Injunctions Are Issued.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 1.—A temporary injunction restraining the striking packing house men at St. Joseph from picketing the plants and from interfering in any way with employes was granted here today by United States District Judge John F. Phillips.

BELLEVILLE, ILL., Aug. 1.—Judge Holder of the circuit court today refused to grant the appeal of the striking packing house employes to dissolve the injunction granted on behalf of the East St. Louis packers, restraining the strikers from interfering with the operation of the plants and men employed therein.

### Tolstoy's Son a Volunteer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—Count Tolstoy's son is leaving for the front as a volunteer in the Two Hundred and Seven-

# DEATH TAKES R. E. PATTISON

## The Former Governor of State Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia.

### NEIGHBORS MOURN

### Flag Half-Masted on Philadelphia City Hall—Prominent Men Condole With Widow.

### FUNERAL SERVICES THURSDAY

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug 1

Robert Emory Pattison, the most prominent Democrat of his generation in Pennsylvania, died at 6:25 this morning. Twice governor, twice controller of Philadelphia, always prominent in the national and state councils of his party, he was known and respected by all.

Although expected, the intelligence of his death came as a profound shock. Mayor Weaver gave orders to have the flag on City hall half-masted, and tonight the headquarters of the Democratic city committee, as well as all other Democratic organizations, are draped in his memory. Mrs. Pattison has received messages of condolence from Judge Alton B. Parker, Democratic nominee for president; Col. James M. Guffey, national committeeman from Pennsylvania; ex-National Committeeman William F. Harrity, ex-President Grover Cleveland, Judge George Gray, William J. Bryan and many others.

### Tribute by Mayor Weaver.

Mayor Weaver, in talking of ex-Gov. Pattison said: "I am deeply grieved at the sudden death of ex-Gov. Pattison. His is a great loss to the community. His election twice to the highest office in the gift of the people of this state speaks louder than any words which I could use of the place he occupied in the hearts of the people of Pennsylvania. My sympathy goes out to his widow and family in their grief."

City Chairman Charles P. Donnelly paid the following tribute: "By the death of ex-Gov. Pattison Pennsylvania has lost one of her most distinguished citizens and honored sons. In his lifetime he did much to elevate the tone of public life in the positions he occupied of city controller and governor of the commonwealth. He was an honest, upright, law-abiding and God-fearing man. From the standpoint of Democracy his place will be hard to fill. In him the party had a wise counsellor, a loyal, intelligent and persistent advocate of all that was good in behalf of constitutional government. As chairman of the Democratic party organization of this city, I but voice the sentiment of the city organization when I say that his death at this time is to be greatly deplored and regretted. From a party standpoint, the future was very bright for him, and had he lived he would certainly have been called to occupy a prominent position in the national councils of his party."

### Devotion to Party Aided Breakdown.

Devotion to party interests aided materially in the final breakdown of Mr. Pattison's health. He was in bad health when he went as a delegate-at-large to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis. There, as an influential member of the committee on resolutions, his work was exacting and nerve-wearing. He sat through the 39 hours' session in which the platform was finally agreed upon, and came from the committee in a state of physical collapse. One week ago the ex-governor had a chill. This was followed by pneumonia. He fought gallantly against the inevitable, but weakness of the heart prevented him from passing the crisis.

The funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 1 o'clock at the residence, 3629 Drexel road, Overbrook. The Rev. George W. Izer of the Church of the Covenant, Eighteenth and Spruce streets, will officiate. Interment will be at West Laurel Hill cemetery. Arrangements concluded make no provision for honorary pallbearers and probably there will be none.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

## FRAMING OF PLATFORM WAS SEVERE ON PATTISON

### Emerged from Committee Room on Verge of Prostration, After a Siege of 40½ Hours.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1.—There is no doubt ex-Gov. Pattison's health was seriously affected by the intense strain to which he was subjected during the St. Louis convention. The heat and excitement were sufficient to prostrate many who considered themselves in good health, but added to all of this was the work in connection with the platform committee in Gov. Pattison's case. When the convention met on Wednesday, July 6, Mr. Pattison was named as Pennsylvania's representative on the committee on resolutions. That afternoon the committee held a brief session in the Coliseum, and on motion of Gov. Pattison it was decided to appoint a sub-committee of 10 to draft a platform and report to the general committee. Mr. Pattison was made a member of this sub-committee and took an important part in all the proceedings incident to the drafting of the platform.

At 7 o'clock Wednesday evening the sub-committee went into session in the rooms of the Pennsylvania delegation at the Southern hotel. They worked until 1 o'clock in the morning, and then seeing that it would be impossible to complete their labors, even if they remained in session all night, they took a recess until 10 o'clock the next morning. These nine hours of intermission were not hours of rest for Gov. Pattison, for most of that time was spent in conferences and in drafting planks that he intended to submit to his colleagues. At 10 o'clock

# BLOODHOUND RUNS TO LUMBER CAMP

Sheriff Thinks Portage Highwaymen Hidden Near—Four Arrests at Blairsville.

FUNERAL OF HAYS IS HELD

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Aug. 1.—At midnight tonight Sheriff Lenhart declared that he was confident he had two of the men who are responsible for the murder of Charles Hays and the robbing and wounding of P. F. Campbell. An English bloodhound was put on the trail of the men and followed it to the vicinity of an Italian camp near Wilmore. Sheriff Lenhart thinks the men are near the point of starvation and are trying to reach the camp to obtain food. The place where the men are supposed to be lurking is guarded tonight by a close cordon of pickets and the place will be thoroughly searched tomorrow. No trace of the men could be found in Cedar swamp.

BLAIRSVILLE, PA., Aug. 1.—Four Italians, suspected of being connected with the murder and holdup, near Portage, were arrested here and taken to Johnstown today.

One man lived here. The three other men came to Blairsville late on Saturday or early Sunday morning. For some reason the men were anxious to get a newspaper. They first gave a boy a dollar to buy one for them. When the boy returned with the statement that the newsstands had closed, they gave another boy $2 and urged him to obtain a newspaper in some way. When the boy came back from his errand the men who had given him the money disappeared. An Italian saw one of the men on his way to Plumville, had a fight with a railroad conductor. He feared arrest and wanted to see a paper to learn if anything had been published about the fight.

Bloodhounds on the Trail.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Aug. 1.—At 5 o'clock this afternoon Sheriff Lambart, Chief of Police Harris, Coroner Miller, city policemen, sheriff's deputies, county detectives and more than a hundred citizens with bloodhounds went to the entrance of Cedar swamp, not far from Portage, where it is confidently believed the three highwaymen are hiding who last Saturday shot and killed from ambush Driver Charles Hays and wounded Paymaster Patrick Campbell of the Puritan Coal Company.

At the swamp the men gave the dogs the trail to the three fugitives who yesterday were seen and shot at by officers, and who hastened back into the thicket, one of the three carrying a satchel. Justice of the Peace Jackson and the Ducio posse are now hot on a trail which both they and the Johnstown police authorities believe will lead to the capture of at least two of the murderers. The fugitives are believed to be the same two who were started by Alexander Gates and others near Beaverdale yesterday morning, who fled to the Cedar swamp and were chased from cover to cover until about 2 o'clock this morning. Justice Jackson telephoned to police headquarters in this city to say he was practically sure the murderers were somewhere between Holsecker's farm and Windber. Upon receipt of this information Chief of Police Harris took a car for Windber and then went to Alexander to the Holsecker place, where he was to be met by the Jackson party and also by another Dunlo posse under the direction of Constable J. G. Jackson, a brother of the justice. A cordon was then made of the whole section between the Holsecker place and Windber.

Funeral of Murdered Driver.

St. Bartholomew's Catholic church at Wilmore was filled and hundreds could not gain admittance this morning to the funeral of Charles Hays. The coroner, who made an official examination of the body, found on Hays' body just 157 wounds, three of them from revolver bullets, the balance from buckshot and birdshot. Of those who attended the funeral hundreds were men who had been searching for the assassins, and they stopped their work long enough to pay respect to the dead, starting out anew as soon as the services were over.

Paymaster Campbell is resting easily at the Altoona hospital. When shot, he tried to hold on to the satchel of the highwaymen shot him in the right side of the chest. This wound is giving him the most trouble.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—John Haggerty and his son of Mt. Jackson were attacked by two highwaymen when returning home here late last night. Near Mahoningtown two men sprang from the bushes, and with drawn revolvers ordered Haggerty to throw up his hands. Haggerty struck one of the highwaymen while his son whipped up the horse. The robbers attempted to follow on foot, but did not shoot.

## ALLEGED FUGITIVE CAPTURED.

Negro Charged With Breaking Man's Ribs Arrested After Hard Struggle.

John W. Craig, a negro, aged 34, of Allaquippa street, South Side, was arrested at the Jones & Laughlin mills yesterday afternoon by Officer James Connors of the Oakland station, after a desperate encounter. Craig is wanted to answer a charge of assault and battery entered by James Hoston of Gazzam street, South Side, who states that Craig assaulted him on July 4, breaking three of his ribs.

Hoston was in Mercy hospital for a month, owing to the injuries, while Craig fled to Youngstown. He returned yesterday afternoon to draw some back pay, and the police were notified.

## OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived August 1.

New York—Ryndam, Rotterdam and Bologne.
Bremen—Barbarossa, New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
Cherbourg—Kron Prinz Wilhelm, New York via Plymouth for Bremen, and proceeded.
Trieste—Litonia, New York via Palermo and Naples.
Hamburg—Hamburg, New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
Glasgow—Columbia, New York.
Plymouth—Kronprinz Wilhelm, New York for Cherbourg and Bremen.
London—Annbtah, San Francisco, Valparaiso, etc., via Teneriffe, for Hamburg.

Sailed August 1.

Glasgow—Parthenia, Montreal; Pomeranian, Montreal.
Christiansand—Arla, New York.
Manchester—Caledonian, Boston (not previously).
Cherbourg—Prinzess Alice, New York.
Aden—Morning Star, American mission ship, from Perim.

## TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

FRIENDSHIP PARK—Pittsburgh Elks' midsummer nights' entertainment, Pain's gorgeous spectacle, "Burning of Rome;" 8 p. m.
BIJOU—Haverly's minstrels, 8 p. m.
WILLIAMS' ACADEMY — Imperial Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.
KENNYWOOD PARK—Marsh, high-dive bicyclist, and the Homestead Library band, afternoon and evening.
SOUTHERN PARK—Marion & Pearl's minstrels and vaudeville, afternoon and evening.


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Planola piano player, like new..... 140
Chickering upright, like new..... 250
Hardman upright, perfect (used)..... 268
Fischer upright, used, perfect..... 190
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Weber square piano, splendid condition 78
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# STRIKERS AT CHICAGO IN LINE TO RECEIVE THEIR PAY

## RUSSIAN LINE CUT IN TWO

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cently, July 4 and July 17, being repulsed in attacks on the Motien pass.

Continuing his account of the engagement, Gen. Kuropatkin says:

Sustains General Attack.

"Our rear guard made an obstinate defence until the appearance of considerably superior forces of the enemy, and then gradually retired in the direction of Hai Cheng. A detachment near Simou Cheng 15 miles south southeast of Hai Cheng, successfully withstood the enemy until 3 in the afternoon.

"The attack was directed against our right flank which from its position at Kanhua pass inflicted great losses on the Japanese.

"The efforts of the Takushan army and Gen. Oku's army today are being mainly directed to cutting our communications between Simou Cheng and Hai Cheng, their operations starting from a line traversing Yan Shu Kan, Ta Pun Tse and Liao Chan Tse.

On our eastern front the Japanese began the offensive this morning against our Ikhavuen position, the enemy's main concentration being against its right flank which was turned.

"The enemy is also acting on the offensive between Liao Yang and Saimatsza, almost due north of Fen Wang Cheng, against our troops posted at Hou Ssia Tze, 25 miles from Lia Yang.

"Intelligence has been received of a considerable number of Japanese landing off Yin Kow under the cover of several warships."

Russian Position Critical.

The general staff seems amazed at the immense strength of these co-operating Japanese armies. The Japanese evidently have succeeded in concealing the real number of their men and guns which the general staff now believes must be in excess of 300,000 men, with between 300 and 400 guns.

While Gen. Oku is holding the Russian army at Hai Cheng in check, Gen. Nodzu is evidently trying to work around the vital position at Simou Cheng. At the same time Gen. Kuroki is trying to flank the First Siberian army corps which was commanded by the late Lieut.-Gen. Count Keller, at Kanzalin, on the main Feng Wang Cheng road, and is also pushing a strong column through direct toward Liao Yang on the Saimatze road. There is a road leading north from Simou Cheng which strikes the Feng Wang Cheng-Liao Yang road west of Yanzalin. If Simou Cheng should be forced a rapid advance along this road would pocket the First Siberian army corps.

Amazed at Japan's Strength.

The report received from Tokyo late tonight that Simou-Cheng had actually been forced did not become generally known. The general staff remained in session until almost 2 a. m., and on adjournment it was stated that nothing beyond the, day's official dispatches had been received. It is thus impossible to confirm or deny the Tokyo report, but if it is true, as pointed out in the foregoing, it leaves the Russian forces in an exceedingly serious position.

Lacking definite information, and if the Russian formation has not been broken by the capture of Simou-Cheng, the authorities here say that if Kuropatkin accepts a general engagement they believe it will occur near Anschantschan, half way between Hai-Cheng and Liao Yang, in which case the Hai-Cheng force will fall back thither and the Simou-Cheng force, under Gen. Mitschenko, on the northward road to Yanzalin, which is already fortified with a view to such a contingency. Yanzalin would then become the advanced position for Anschantschan, the natural strength of which is shown by the fact that it was the only position the Chinese successfully defended against the Japanese. It is possible that if Simou-Cheng is evacuated it may be in pursuance of the above plan, and it is also possible in this case that Gen. Stakelberg may get away north, but in any case his retreat with Oku hanging to his rear must be a difficult operation, even with the railway to help him.

No List of Casualties.

Gen. Kuropatkins reports of yesterday only carried the fighting up to Sunday night, when the Russians had been driven in from the left flank of the Simou-Cheng position. They gave no figures of the two days' fighting.

The only real news of the day's results was contained in the brief dispatch to the Associated Press from Hai-Cheng, filed there at 5:45 o'clock in the afternoon, saying that an artillery duel had raged all day along the entire front, but that the Russians at nightfall continued to hold their position.

No news was received from Port Arthur today.

It has been learned that Capt. Von Sessen commanded the Vladivostok squadron during the recent raid.

Russia After Argentine Ships.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The Daily Telegraph's Brussels correspondent says he learns from a good source that Emperor Nicholas has entrusted Grand Duke Michael with the negotiations for the purchase of several Argentine battleships.

Alexieff Will Make a Tour.

MUKDEN, Aug. 1.—Viceroy Alexieff is about to leave Mukden on an extensive inspection tour of the viceroyalty.

## RESULTED FROM SUNSTROKE.

Antics of John Lewis Came from an Injury Received in India.

John Lewis, an employe of the Waynesburg Fore, Sheet & Tin mill, was taken to St. Francis hospital yesterday. He served in the Welsh Fusiliers of the English army in India, where he received a sunstroke which caused mental derangement.

Recently he wandered away from home, and a week ago was found in a famished condition on Penn avenue, where he had seized a melon belonging to a fruit dealer. After being fed he was released, and on Saturday his relatives found him in the jail at Wellsville, O.

May Call for Militia.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Serious trouble is looked for and a call for militia may be made by the O. F. Coal Mine Company at Amsterdam, because of evictions which are to be attempted this week. The miners struck because the electricians were made to work double shift. They say if the militia puts them out of the houses, they will get tents.

## BALTIC FLEET WILL MOVE IN THREE DAYS

Already Two of the Auxiliary Cruisers Are on Their Way to Red Sea.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—Preparations have been completed for the departure under the command of Rear Admiral Enquist, of the cruiser division of the second Russian Pacific squadron now lying off Cronstadt. The warships will weigh anchor and put to sea under sealed orders within three days. It is also believed that the auxiliary cruisers Don and Ural, which probably are the ships reported as passing Copenhagen with two torpedo boats, will be followed at once by other converted merchantmen.

This time the admiralty has resolved that there shall be no question of the character of the warships engaged in stopping contraband. The Don and the Ural will replace the St. Petersburg and Smolensk, which will come home and be recommissioned.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The state department has official information that two Russian warships passed Copenhagen yesterday en route to the Red sea to replace the volunteer corps to be withdrawn from there.

FREDERICKSHAVEN, ISLAND OF JUTLAND, Aug. 1.—The Russian auxiliary cruisers Don and Ural and two torpedo boats passed here during the night. At the Skaw, Cape Skagen, the northern extremity of Jutland, the torpedo boats returned and proceeded to Odesund. The cruisers continued their course.

## DAVIS IN PARKERSBURG.

Vice Presidential Candidate Will Likely Make a Speech in West Virginia Convention Tomorrow.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Hon. Henry G. Davis, the Democratic nominee for the vice presidency, arrived tonight from his home at Elkins. He was greeted by hundreds of Democrats who are here to attend the state convention on Wednesday. Mr. Davis worked his way as rapidly as possible through the crowd to his room at the Chancellor hotel where he was closeted for a short time with a few leading West Virginia politicians. National Committeeman John T. McGraw who will be temporary chairman of the convention arrived on Senator Davis' private car together with Col. Thomas B. Davis and a few others. Mr. Davis is expected to address the convention Wednesday.

His party are enthusiastic supporters of C. Wood for governor.

## REPUBLICANS RECALCITRANT.

Vote With Democratic Members in West Virginia Senate—Pressure Being Brought on Them.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—The session of the senate this afternoon was enlivened by a sharp fight over the bill imposing a state tax on deeds. Mr. Campbell of Jefferson moved to strike out the enacting clause, claiming the measure was aimed at the farming interests and for the large corporations. On an amendment being offered to graduate the fee in proportion to the value of the property conveyed, enough Republicans voted with the Democrats to carry the amendment. Senator Robinson, the floor leader of the majority, moved to postpone the announcement of the vote, which also failed, when he moved an immediate adjournment, leaving the vote unannounced.

Pressure is being used on the recalcitrant Republicans to bring them in line tonight.

## FAIRBANKS BACK HOME IN SPLENDID HEALTH

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 1.—Senator Charles W. Fairbanks, Republican nominee for vice president, returned today with his family from Mackinac. He is making arrangements to receive next Wednesday the official notification of his nomination for the vice presidency. He is in splendid health and says he thoroughly enjoyed his rest in Michigan.

## TO OPEN HEADQUARTERS OF REBUBLICAN PARTY

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The national Republican headquarters in the Metropolitan Life building will be ready for formal opening Wednesday when Chairman Cortelyou is expected to return here. The quarters were inspected by Assistant Secretary Coolidge today.

Foreigner's Annoying Delusion.

Paul Vausko, a Pole arrested on Chestnut street, Allegheny, Saturday night, was turned over to the county authorities yesterday by the police. The man is demented. His most annoying vagary was going into restaurants and after eating refusing to pay. It is his belief that he is part owner of all the cafes in the world.

Homestead Sells Bonds.

Homestead council last night sold $55,000 worth of bonds to a Cleveland firm. The proceeds of the bond issue will be used for improvements at the water works and for a $30,000 municipal building. The contract for drilling 16 pure water wells was let last night to J. Black of Homestead at $5,070.

Ohio Democratic Nominations.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 1.—The Democrats of the First Ohio district today nominated Braxton W. Campbell for congress and George Mills for elector. The Democrats of the Second Ohio district today nominated Charles A. Miller for congress and John E. Bruce for elector.

Theatre Company Fails.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Aug. 1.—The Criterion Theater Company today filed an assignment to Matthew Gallagher of Minneapolis. The assignment schedules debts at $10,000. No assets are given.

## SABBATH ASSOCIATION WILL ENTER MANY SUITS

Started Yesterday on String of 80 Informations—East End Dealers Are Prosecuted.

Agent S. T. Gamble of the Allegheny County Sabbath association declared yesterday that his detectives secured sufficient evidence on Sunday last to make 80 informations against alleged violators of the Sunday closing law. While many informations will be entered against employes of Kennywood and Southern parks before Justice J. Clyde Miller, in Homestead, the majority will be entered against Frankstown and Larimer avenue storekeepers for "engaging in worldly traffic," before Justice J. J. Walker, in Williamsburg. Many of the informations were entered before Justice Walker last night, while others will be presented today. Justice Walker will hold hearings in some of the cases this afternoon between 2 and 5 o'clock, assigning three hours for the first batch.

The defendants against whom informations were made are: F. P. McCabe, Fifth avenue and High street; Mrs. William Knox, 2480 Fifth avenue; F. X. Weis, Park and Frankstown avenues; Lawrence Pollycaster, 415 Larimer avenue; B. Pearlman, 226 Frankstown avenue; Penn Depot, 6504 Station street; A. Emmanuel, 209 Frankstown avenue; Mike Polandino, 1863 Station street; M. Craft, 309 Larimer avenue; Henry Horn, 20 Larimer avenue; C. Evanstien, Frankstown avenue and Lowell street; Samuel Frank, 268 Frankstown avenue; Mrs. M. M. Young, 230 Larimer avenue; M. D. Sinna, 401 Larimer avenue; C. Logiodire, Shetland and Park streets.

The executive committee of the association met yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Central Y. M. C. A. and heard reports from Agent Gamble and his assistants. Large contributions were received from many local congregations towards the crusade.

## GOTHAM HAS BIG STORM.

Lightning Shatters Flagstaffs on Skyscraper and Water Floods the Downtown Business Section.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Considerable damage was done in widely separated parts of the city during an electrical storm this afternoon. Both flagstaffs on the postoffice building in lower New York were struck. A bolt struck the Third Avenue elevated structure near Fiftieth street, ran along and set fire to the sleepers, causing a lively pyrotechnic display. The big flag pole on the top of the famous "Flatiron" building, at Broadway and Twenty-third street, was struck, a piece over 10 feet long being splintered, fragments falling on both sides of the building to the streets far below. Several other flag poles in various parts of the city and many dwelling houses were struck.

During the 45 minutes the storm continued nearly two inches of water fell, flooding cellars and streets on Manhattan island. The Brooklyn bridge entrance was filled with water, and in the financial section the water flooded both telegraph offices in the stock exchange building, seriously hampering communications by wire during the last hour of business. On the rivers the storm blew windows from several ferryboats.

The flagpole surmounting Tammany hall was struck by lightning and the big ball at the top crashed to the street.

Frank T. Brooks of Jersey City was struck by lightning on the street, and was seriously injured. Thomas Farley and Charles Sharpley, employes of the New York street cleaning department, were driving metallic carts when lightning struck them. Farley was seriously, and Sharpley probably fatally, hurt.

At Milltown, N. Y., lightning killed Edward J. Wilkinson and his daughter Martha while they were sitting under a tent.

Lightning struck the varnish works of Smith & Co. in Long Island city. The loss is $60,000.

## CARR LOST FINGERS.

Policeman Investigating a Complaint Has Hand Caught in Door.

Policeman Michael Carr lost the second and third fingers of his right hand yesterday by having them caught between a heavy door and the jamb. Carr is attached to the Center avenue police station.

He was investigating a complaint of boys playing ball, made by Mrs. H. H. Croup, 1731 Arch street. Carr was standing on the steps with his right hand resting against the door jamb. The afterdraft in the hallway closed the door with a rush, the sharp edge severing Carr's fingers.

Teachers Chosen for Vandergrift.

VANDERGRIFT, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Prof. A. J. Stewartsen of Adamsburg, a graduate of Washington and Jefferson college, has been elected superintendent of the Vandergrift public schools, while Prof. Roy M. Jamison, a graduate of Westminster college in 1903, and a teacher in Elder's Ridge academy, has been made the principal of the high school.

'Cyclist Had Narrow Escape.

A bicycle upon which Chauncey Adams was riding across Kiskiminetas bridge was struck by the Oil City express yesterday, and while the machine was demolished the rider escaped injury.

## WIRELESS TELEGRAPH IN CONTROL OF NAVY

President Approves Recommendation of Board With Exceptions for the Army.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Control of the coastwise wireless telegraph stations, now in operation by the government, has been awarded to the navy by the action of the president today in approving the recommendation of the board appointed by him sometime ago, of which Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans was president, and whose duty was to pass on the entire question of wireless telegraphy.

The report recommends that in view of the fact that the wireless telegraph coastwise stations are a part of the country's defense and therefore belong to a military branch of the government, and because they are more important to the navy than to the army, that the navy shall be given the control of these stations.

Exception in favor of the army is made, however, in the case of those coastwise stations necessary for communication between the various army posts along the coast, provided these do not interfere with the other coastwise stations. The army, it is recommended, also shall have control of such wireless telegraph stations on the inland frontier as are necessary to satisfactory communication and of the stations in Alaska where wireless telegraphy is the only means of communication.

Regarding wireless telegraph stations owned by private companies, legislation is recommended which will prevent such stations from interfering with the coastwise stations in the control of the army or navy.

## BROTHER IS MISSING.

Young Man from Germany Reaches Sharpsburg Only to Be Sadly Disappointed.

George Prugner, aged 18, arrived in Sharpsburg yesterday, having come all the way from Germany only to find that his brother, John Prugner, whom he was to meet here, had disappeared from Sharpsburg about two weeks ago.

John Prugner lived at the Union hotel, Sharpsburg, for the past five years and was very well known. He was interested in the Etna Marble Company, and wrote to his younger brother in Germany to come to Sharpsburg and he would give him a position as a granite cutter. On July 16 Prugner disappeared and on the following Monday John Ritter, proprietor of the hotel, received a letter from him written from Pittsburgh saying that he was tired of working for nothing, and was going away, but he did not know where. Since then nothing has been heard from him.

George Prugner is an experienced granite cutter and wanted to leave Germany to avoid being forced to enlist in the army. He had written his brother the date he would arrive in Sharpsburg and is at a loss to account for his disappearance.

## MAY BE MURDERER.

Monessen Police Think They Have Man Who Is Wanted for Pittsburgh Killing.

The Monessen police telephoned last night to detective headquarters that they had arrested a negro supposed to be Robert Childs, wanted for the murder of James Donnelly, the Bedford avenue grocer. Two negroes, John Johnson and Frank Ousley, were hanged for the crime two weeks ago and the police want Childs.

The suspect, according to the Monessen police, had a pocket full of newspaper clippings relating to the trial, conviction and hanging of the two men. He admits that he lived in the same house with Johnson in Pittsburgh. Supt. McQuaide will investigate.

## COMMITTEE TOLD TO MEET TO NOTIFY CANDIDATE DAVIS

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Secretary Woodson of the Democratic national committee today sent telegrams to Chairman John Sharp Williams and other members of the committee to notify Henry G. Davis of his nomination as vice president, to meet at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., August 17.

## DR. A. F. LEWIS IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF WAYNESBURG

WAYNESBURG, PA., Aug. 1.—At a meeting of the board of trustees of Waynesburg college here this evening Dr. Alvin F. Lewis was unanimously chosen president of the institution to succeed Dr. A. E. Turner, who recently accepted the presidency of Trinity college, Texas.


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## DEATH TAKES PATTERSON

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Thursday morning the sub-committee started again at its task, and, with the exception of half an hour for luncheon, which most of the members cut down to a few minutes, they were busy on that stuffy room until 5 in the afternoon. At that hour it was stated that a platform had been agreed upon and was ready to be submitted to the general committee on resolutions. But as the various planks would have to be typewritten and arranged, the full committee was called to meet at 8 o'clock that evening.

At this latter hour began the terrible nerve-racking and soul-torturing contest between the silver and gold factions in the committee that finally resulted in the total omission of a money plank from the platform. For fifteen and a half hours without a break the committee wrestled with the problem before it, and all that time Gov. Pattison was present and participating in the debate. The room was filled with tobacco smoke and the heat was intense. All the members of the committee had suffered from loss of sleep for two nights previous and the responsibility upon their shoulders added to the strain upon body and mind.

It was 11:30 forenoon when the agreement was finally reached and the committee emerged from its room. Many of them were almost on the point of exhaustion and all were thoroughly tired out. It had been a strain such as few men would care to be subjected to. As Gov. Pattison walked to the elevator his face was haggard from fatigue and his eyes were inflamed and bloodshot from loss of sleep. Like his colleagues on the committee, he had just about gone the limit of his endurance. I asked him for an expression on the platform that had finally been decided upon, and he said: "We have reached a satisfactory agreement. The fact that I have remained in that room for all of these hours helping to make it, shows that I think a good deal of the platform."

Gov. Pattison had been closted in the committee room, a moderate sized apartment that reeked with tobacco smoke and ill-breathed air, mingled with the heat and odors of the street, for a total of 40½ hours with but 12½ hours of intermission. These recesses, as explained above, were not devoted to sleep entirely, as most of that time was used up with conferences on matters that had to be decided before the next session of the committee. That same long session of the committee on resolutions that terminated in the agreement at Friday noon, coupled with the excitement and heat of the convention, was responsible for a serious illness of William J. Bryan, and when the other delegates were leaving St. Louis glad to escape from the affair, Bryan was lying with an incipient attack of pneumonia at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. Jennings. Senator Daniels, Senator Tillman, John Sharp Williams and others who participated in the meetings of the resolutions committee were upon the point of prostration when the convention came to an end.

L. W. STRAYER.

## RESPECT SHOWN PATTISON.

York County Convention Takes a Recess—Democratic Ticket Is Nominated in Cambria County.

YORK, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—The York county Democratic convention met this morning and as a compromise to effect harmony elected Nevin M. Warner, an aspirant for judge, as temporary chairman. The convention decided to exclude all representatives of Republican newspapers. Out of respect to ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison, whose death was just formally reported on the floor, the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the nominations will be made.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Aug. 1.—The Cambria county Democratic convention held at Ebensburg today nominated Edward T. McNeelis of Johnstown for district attorney; William H. Strauss, Johnstown, for recorder; and John P. Long, Summerhill, for prothonotary. William C. Hubbard of Patton and John P. Bracken of Carrolltown were nominated for the assembly. The convention indorsed James P. Greene of Johnstown for congress and J. Bert Denny for the state senate. Dr. C. E. Hannan of this city was elected county chairman.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 1.—The Democrats of the Fifth legislative district met in convention today at Pittston and immediately nominated Attorney George F. O'Brien of that city for representative.

Wiley's Tribute to Pattison.

FRANKLIN, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Gen. John A. Wiley of this city, was one of ex-Gov. Pattison's most intimate friends. Gen. Wiley said of him tonight: "Mr. Pattison was one of the ablest and most respected of Pennsylvania's public men. He was firm in his judgment and true to his convictions. He tried hard to be right in all public matters even to the disregard of political exigency and he succeeded. His private life was a model of excellence, a character for anyone to follow. I am greatly grieved at his death. He was one of my best friends."


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## A LETTER TO OUR READERS.

53 Cottage St., Melrose, Mass.
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"Ever since I was in the Army, I had more or less kidney trouble, and within the past year it became so severe and complicated that I suffered everything and was much alarmed—my strength and power was fast leaving me. I saw an advertisement of Swamp-Root and wrote asking for advice. I began the use of the medicine and noted a decided improvement after taking Swamp-Root only a short time.

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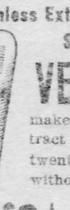

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# WANT TO SELL BONDS AT ONCE

Administration Will Ask Councils to Pass Ordinance Opposed by Larkin.

M. A. VERNER ON VALUES

Controller Larkin's ideas of business principles are not those of the city administration and of the leaders of the Citizens party. The filtration bonds will not be sold as needed, as recommended by Larkin and declared legal by City Solicitor Rodgers, but will be sold in bulk if the administration has its way with councils. Controller Larkin has pointed out that this method will cost the city many thousands of dollars in interest charges.

Mr. Rodgers, Mayor Hays, Director Bigelow and Murry A. Verner, the last named having no official connection with the city government, met yesterday in the mayor's office, the chief executive having returned from Mt. Clemens, Mich. They talked together for over an hour and then the announcement of the program of the administration was made.

"Two ordinances were prepared by the city solicitor," said Mr. Bigelow. "One provides that the bonds be sold in bulk, the other provides that they be sold as the city may require the money. The first ordinance will be introduced in councils. If councils want to amend the ordinance they can do so. The matter rests entirely with councils."

Flocked to the Office.

Common council will be called first and notices fixing a meeting for tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. were ordered sent yesterday by S. B. Ward, president of that branch. No time was lost in lining up councilmen for the administration's program. They were sent for by Director Bigelow and all yesterday afternoon members of both branches of councils, including even Republicans, flocked to Bigelow's office. There they were told that the ordinance would be introduced and asked to vote for its passage. If the slate goes through as hoped for the administration the ordinance will be passed in two meetings, but if the rules cannot be suspended and the ordinance pass third reading and final passage at the second meeting a third session will be necessary.

It is possible that Controller Larkin may demand from Rodgers a copy of the ordinance allowing the bonds to be sold by installments, and that he may induce a councilman to present it, but it is more likely that Larkin will permit the administration to have a monopoly of introducing bills and make his fight before the public in other ways. He is bitterly opposed to the method of bond sale to which the administration is now committed, and as his signature is necessary before the bonds can be disposed of, it is asserted that he is in a position to make his wishes felt.

Lowest Price in 1896.

After the conference Murry A. Verner said: "There is a splendid market for the bonds now. It is believed that a sufficient premium could be obtained, if the bonds are all sold now, to more than make up for the net interest money the bonds would involve. While bonds might be sold at the rate of 101, 102 or even higher at present they might not bring over 90 a few months later."

A well-known financial authority, in discussing Mr. Verner's statement, said:

"The premium would very truly be even higher than 102, and it is ridiculous to suppose that it could go as low as 90. Never, so far as I can recollect, were the bonds of Pittsburgh below par. The lowest price at which they have been sold in many years was in 1896, and even then they brought a liberal premium. Pittsburgh bonds have always been gilt edged, and at present and for three or four years to come they will bring a big premium. New York savings banks have all the New York and New England municipal bonds they want, and they are looking for other bonds in which to invest. Pittsburgh's credit is good and these banks would compete for the $5,000,000 if issued in bulk. There would be just as lively competition for the same bonds in installments of $100,000 up. Suppose there should be a little loss in premiums because of smaller installments, the amount gained would be far exceeded by the amount of interest charges the city would have by selling as the need for money may arise. Besides, the competition for small issues of bonds is apt to be keener than where very large amounts are concerned, for there are many more brokers who can swing a sale of $500,000 worth of bonds than can handle $5,000,000 worth. Such men could compete with the biggest financial powers for issues of bonds in moderate amounts."

When the time comes the controller will be ready to answer the argument of Verner. He is supposed to be well posted on financial affairs and hints that there are bankers who will bear out his contention that it is economy for the city to sell the filtration bonds only when the necessity for paying out money arises. The $2,000,000 remaining from the bond issue of 1896 for filtration is costing the city about $45,000 a year.

## "BLIND-MAN" OWENS AGAIN IN HANDS OF THE POLICE

Charged With Abusing Faithful Dog That Has Been His Guide for Many Months.

Charles Owens, a blind man, was locked up in Allegheny Central station yesterday afternoon, charged with disorderly conduct, and will also face a charge of cruelty to animals, on information made by Agent James Rea of the Humane society. Owens was arrested on Federal street while he was abusing a handsome English setter. Owens had the dog on a chain and was holding it close to him while he kicked it.

Owens was released from the Western penitentiary five months ago, after serving a three-year term for attempted burglary. He will be remembered as the man whose eyes were destroyed about four years ago by a load of buckshot, fired by John Wagner. Owens and two companions were attempting to enter the Wagner residence in Ben Avon and were discovered. He was tried and convicted, but his companions escaped.

For months past Owens has been a familiar figure on the streets of Allegheny, where he makes a living begging. The spectacle of the blind man has been made more pathetic because of the faithful dog that pilots him safely across busy thoroughfares and sits patiently at his side all day. It was this animal that Owens was abusing. It was only his affliction that saved him from rough treatment at the hands of a crowd that collected.

Last Assessment on Mining Stock.

The last assessment, completing the payments, has been called on the stock of the Pittsburgh & Duluth, one of the Arizona copper mining companies in which Pittsburghers are interested. It is stated also that the Lake Superior & Pittsburgh has made an ore deal with the Copper Queen. The latter has a larger smelting capacity than its present output calls for and is therefore in a position to afford facilities of the other


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The plans being made for the electricity courses at the "tech" schools provide for two distinct lines. One "Applied Electricity," will correspond more to the college course known as "electrical engineering." Electro-chemistry, which is an important part of several large Pittsburgh industries, will be included in this course.

"Electrical Work" describes the other course projected. This course is a less advanced one and includes more of the instruction for practical electricians. Wiring, setting up motors and in general connecting up the manufactured apparatus will be taught in this course.

It is the purpose of the "tech" management to secure for the instruction in electricity the best men who can be found. There will be courses under the direction of men who have been eminently successful in electrical work and other courses in the theory.

The plans in this department of the big school are being watched with a great deal of interest by many manufacturers here. In addition to the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company there are two other large companies here which need electrical experts continually. They are the Union Switch & Signal Company and the Standard Underground Cable Company.

The close co-operation of the manufacturers to increase the efficiency of the schools is promised. In this department, as in other departments, first place will be given to those who are already in the business when admissions are considered.

Freeport Has a New Bank.

The Farmers National bank of Freeport organized yesterday by electing D. B. Heiner, chairman and the following directors: R. B. Mellon, W. Fred Turner, T. G. Cornell, W. A. Jack, A. B. Drake, D. B. Heiner, H. Brenneman, Adam Kkas and W. B. Phillips. The Rev. J. B. McIsaacs was chosen judge and Robert Kennedy and Charles Wetzel, tellers. The directors elected T. G. Cornell, president, and B. H. Gore, cashier. The new bank is capitalized at $50,000 and will be open September 15.

Same Consolidated Gas Directors.

The annual meeting of the Consolidated Gas Company, one of the underlying concerns of the Philadelphia Company, held yesterday resulted in the choice of the same directors who have served during the past year. They are J. H. Reed, J. D. Callery, C. J. Braun, Jr., C. S. Mitchell, Joseph F. Guffey and Robert Young.


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**300 Pairs**
Women's Genuine $3.00 Goodyear Welt, Vici Kid Oxfords, in sizes 3½, 4, 4½ and 5—widths AA, A and B, for
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**600 Pairs**
Women's $2.00 Patent Vamp one strap Sandals for
**$1.00 a pair**

**500 Pairs**
Women's $1.50 and $2.00 Oxfords, also on Bargain Tables for
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**200 Pairs**
Women's $1 White Kid Sandals for
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**200 Pairs**
Men's Canvas Oxfords at half price,
**75c a pair**

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Men's $2.50 Vici Kid Oxfords (Men's Dept., Second Floor), at
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**200 Pairs**
Men's large sizes in $3.50 Oxfords will sell in the Men's Dept. for
**$1.00 a pair**

Boys' and Girls' Oxfords at about half their regular prices,
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Napkins—24x24 in.—$3.75 quality—$3.00 doz.

**TOWELS AND TOWELING—**
Crash—18 in.—7½c quality—5c yd.
Extra good quality of Crash—7½c yd.
Pure Linen Crash—18 in.—12½c quality—10c yd.
Huck Towels—18x34 in.—15c quality—10c each.
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Ladies' Muslin Gowns.....50c
Ladies' Cambric Skirts.....75c
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| The Toledo Special | *10.30 am | * 8.30 pm |
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| Columbus and Chicago | * 1.05 pm | * 2.00 pm |
| Youngstown and Jamestown | †12.35 pm | * 5.50 pm |
| New Castle and Ashtabula | †12.35 pm | *11.05 am |
| Cleveland and Bellaire | * 1.25 pm | * 1.15 pm |
| Alliance and Mansfield | * 1.35 pm | * 1.50 pm |
| New Castle and Erie | * 4.30 pm | * 8.30 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City | * 4.50 pm | * 8.20 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire | † 4.55 pm | * 8.40 am |
| The Cleveland Special | * 5.00 pm | *11.15 am |
| Wellsville and Bellaire | † 5.10 pm | * 10.10 am |
| The Chicago Special | * 6.30 pm | * 7.45 am |
| Columbus and Indianapolis | * 8.10 pm | * 5.55 am |
| The Pacific Express | * 8.10 pm | * 6.45 am |
| Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville | * 8.15 pm | * 8.00 am |
| The Pennsylvania Limited | * 8.15 pm | * 6.00 am |
| Toledo and Detroit | * 8.50 pm | * 6.55 am |
| Beaver Falls and New Castle | †10.40 pm | † 5.50 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland | *11.00 pm | * 5.40 am |

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Leave for Wheeling, 10.40 a. m., *8.00 am, *11.50 am, †2.30 pm, *8.15 pm.
Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 a. m., 10.26 am, †4.25 pm, †10.55 pm, 11.55 am.
Leave for Dennison, *8.40 am, 10.30 pm.
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, 10.25 pm.
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Corner Liberty Ave. and Ferry St.
City Ticket Office, 320 Fifth Ave.

| Central Time. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Toledo and St. Louis | 6:30 a. m. | 7:00 p. m. |
| St. Louis & Kans. City | 1:00 p. m. | 4:15 p. m. |
| Chicago & St. Louis | 7:30 p. m. | 6:50 a. m. |

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# JOSEPH HORNE CO.

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*Lines to Women—*

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Today for same style suits, better grade Taffeta or Pongee, $10.50, worth $20.00.

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Schedule in Effect June 19, 1904.

| CENTRAL TIME. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer". | * 7:00 am | * 9:45 pm |
| Cleveland "Flyer" | * 7:00 am | * 6:30 pm |
| Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail. | * 8:30 am | * 5:10 pm |
| Buffalo and Erie Express. | † 8:30 am | † 7:15 pm |
| Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line. | *12:50 pm | * 6:30 am |
| St. Louis Express | *12:50 pm | * 8:50 am |
| Buffalo and Erie Express. | † 5:10 pm | † 3:45 am |
| Cleveland and Chicago Ex. | * 2:30 pm | *12:20 pm |
| Boston Special | † 5:00 pm | * 6:35 am |
| Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer". | * 6:15 pm | *11:15 am |
| Chicago Limited | * 6:15 pm | * 6:30 pm |
| Loupurex Limited | * 9:00 pm | * 3:20 pm |
| Buffalo and Cleveland Ex. | *10:30 pm | * 6:35 pm |
| Youngstown Accom. | † 5:30 am | * 8:50 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 8:40 am | † 5:35 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 9:00 am | † 9:20 am |
| West Pittsburgh Accom. | †12:10 pm | † 4:15 pm |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 3:30 pm | †12:15 am |
| New Castle Express. | † 4:20 pm | † 7:30 am |
| New Castle Express. | † 8:05 am | † 1:10 pm |
| Beaver Falls Express. | † 5:25 pm | † 5:30 pm |
| Brownsville Accom. | † 6:10 am | † 6:45 am |
| Brownsville & N. Haven Ex. | † 8:00 am | * 8:50 am |
| Brownsville & Brownsville. | †11:50 am | †12:40 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven. | † 3:30 pm | † 4:50 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven. | * 5:20 pm | * 6:40 pm |

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(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Streets.

| LINES EAST. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Cumberland Accom'dation* | 6:30 am | * 9:25 pm |
| Connellsville & Mt. Pleas. | † 8:50 am | †10:00 am |
| Baltimore & New York * | 8:00 am | * 7:45 pm |
| Conny., Un'tn & Fairmont* | 8:00 am | * 7:45 pm |
| West Newton Accom. | † 9:15 am | † 5:00 pm |
| Cumb., Wash. & Balt.* | 1:00 pm | * 2:40 pm |
| Conny., Un'tn, Morgant'n & Connellsv. & Mt. Pleasant | † 1:35 pm | † 5:05 pm |
| Connellsville Accom'dat'n | † 4:00 pm | † 9:05 pm |
| Morgantown, Clarksburg & Weston | † 5:00 pm | †12:50 pm |
| Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited) | * 6:30 pm | * 8:00 am |
| West Newton Accom. | † 6:40 pm | † 1:00 pm |
| Wash., Balt. & Phila. | * 8:00 pm | * 7:15 am |

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

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|---|---|---|
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 7:00 am | *10:35 am |
| Col. Cin. & St. L. Ex. | * 8:30 am | * 7:40 am |
| St. Louis Limited | † 1:30 pm | * 1:00 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling | * 4:35 pm | * 5:45 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 5:30 pm | * 8:45 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex. | * 8:50 pm | * 7:55 pm |

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

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| Cleve., Akron & Y'ngst'n | * 7:50 am | * 6:15 pm |
| Chicago & Cleveland | * 4:30 pm | *12:15 pm |
| Chicago Limited | * 8:00 pm | * 7:40 am |

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

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|---|---|---|
| Butler | † 7:30 am | † 5:00 pm |
| Butler, Foxburg | † 7:30 am | † 7:25 pm |
| Butler, Foxburg | † 8:15 am | † 5:10 pm |
| Butler, Conn. Lake & Erie | † 8:15 am | † 6:55 pm |
| Butler | † 10:40 am | † 9:40 am |
| Butler, Conn. & Lake Erie | † 1:15 pm | † 1:00 pm |
| Ellwood City | † 1:15 pm | † 6:20 am |
| Butler, Clarion, Greenv. | † 3:00 pm | †10:25 am |
| Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle | † 5:30 pm | * 9:40 pm |
| Butler | † 6:15 pm | † 3:10 pm |
| Ellw'd, Foxbg., N. Castle | † 6:15 pm | ‡ 9:40 am |
| Butler | *11:30 pm | ‡ 7:25 pm |

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Tuesday, August 2, 1904.

The Gazette desires to call the attention of those of its readers who contemplate summer trips to the announcements of the many summer resort hotels published on page 12 of this issue.

Speaking to the motion of censure offered by the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Joseph Chamberlain yesterday declared he would gladly welcome submission of the fiscal issue to the people. In fact, he asserted he is impatient for the dissolution of parliament and the general election. He said he differed from Premier Balfour only on a question of expediency and that both are confident a tariff is necessary to promote British prosperity. The motion of censure affects the affiliation of members of the cabinet with the Liberal-Unionist association, so it draws the issue squarely and may result in giving Mr. Chamberlain his desired opportunity to appeal to the British people in a general election.

There have been allegations from time to time, for partisan purposes, that the cost of living has advanced out of proportion to the increase in wages. The truth is shown in the official report of Col. Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor. The inquiry has covered 33 states and a large number of persons. As a matter of fact, living cost has increased 15½ per cent, while wages have risen 16½ per cent. The statistics show further that there is a margin of about $100 between the average yearly earnings and expenditures of the workmen heard from, which accounts for the tidy increase in savings bank deposits. The average family among the men investigated is 5.21 persons. No race suicide and no incentive to it.

Representative Hepburn's suggestion that the congressional committee to which canal legislation will be referred should visit the canal zone between the time of the election and the assembling of congress is good. To avoid fairly with the matters that come before them congressmen should be well informed on the subject. Conditions on the isthmus are greatly different from those in a climate as far north as the United States, and the needs of the people working in that climate are different. Therefore, if the members of congress desire full knowledge of the situation a tour of personal observation should help them. The suggestion meets with the approval of President Roosevelt, and probably will be approved as heartily by Representative Hepburn's colleagues on the committee.

Representations have been made by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, looking to the removal of the general offices of the company from Baltimore to this city. It is pointed out that the company must rebuild if it retains headquarters at Baltimore and that Pittsburgh is central to the system and the principal traffic producer. The M. & M. is moving in the right direction and we believe the Baltimore & Ohio would profit by the suggested change. However, if its Baltimore traditions forbid transplanting the general offices, the company can serve its interest and that of the Pittsburgh shipping public by following the example of the Pennsylvania in transforming its general agency to a high executive office with authority to deal frankly and freely with the local situation from the point of view of a Pittsburgh man familiar with the conditions. The company owes to itself at least this much recognition of the importance of the Pittsburgh region to its system, especially as Pittsburgh has always been friendly to the B. & O.

The people of Panama are needlessly alarmed when they become excited over the prospect of the United States canal commission diverting trade from them. The United States finds it necessary to establish custom houses at the entrance to the canal strip to prevent smuggling, which will in the end prove an aid to the people of Panama. If it were easy for contraband to reach the canal zone, there would be little business left for the people of Panama, as the smugglers could cut prices below hope of competition. With prices maintained, Panama business men will get their fair share of the trade with the officers and laborers on the canal. Our southern neighbors will soon learn to be patient where dealings with the United States are concerned, as they will always be assured fair treatment.

Immigration Commissioner Sargent very politely but firmly informed those men who called upon him to influence the trend of immigration toward the south that such is not in the province of his bureau. Cotton planters profess to be short of laborers and desire an influx of Italians. This statement hardly agrees with figures of the census bureau, which show that there is an abundance of colored labor to be had in the cotton-growing districts. And if it should prove true, as the planters allege, that the negroes are deserting the plantations for the cities, they have only themselves and the customs of their section to blame. They have made conditions such that the negroes felt forced to try new work in the cities rather than submit to the hardships imposed by the planters, or the danger of arbitrary execution upon suspicion. Italian labor might assist the south in forcing the colored people to emigrate to the north, and in keeping down wages, but Uncle Sam and his officers cannot help along the scheme.

## *Taking the Wrong Course.*

Announcement that the city administration proposes to force through councils an ordinance for the immediate sale of all the bonds authorized for filtration comes as a shock of disappointment. Last week City Solicitor Rodgers submitted an opinion declaring it would be legal to sell the bonds as the money might be needed. He had prepared an ordinance covering this method and the public had congratulated itself and the administration on the prospect of effecting a material economy. All this is changed in a moment by the declared intention of the administration to take the wrong course, regardless of expense.

One excuse, and one only, is offered for the decision to sell the bonds in a block, and that is so absurd as to appear farcical. Mr. Murry Verner says there is a good market for the bonds now, but if held over they might not sell above 90. There is no conceivable condition that could so depreciate Pittsburgh credit as to cause its bonds to sell at 90, or anywhere near that figure, except grossest administrative mismanagement, and we do not believe Mr. Verner means to suggest any such calamity. The bonds will sell almost as high in installments as in bulk and the saving in interest by the installment method would far exceed the possibly greater premium that might be obtained by the proposed procedure.

Councils will have the word of authority in this matter, and if they have any care for the public interest they will pass the ordinance authorizing the sale of bonds as needed. Filtration should not be delayed a moment longer than necessary. It should not be made to cost unnecessary thousands in interest upon funds lying idle in banks for the secret advantage of individuals. The proposal to submit the ordinance for the sale of all the bonds at once is an invitation to Controller Larkin and others to institute proceedings to delay the consummation and possibly cause further delays after the money has reached depositories. The fate of the original filtration bond issue is fresh in the public mind, and it is not pleasant to contemplate a probability that the larger issue may be tied up and abused in the same manner.

## *Robert Emory Pattison.*

By the sudden death of former Gov. Robert Emory Pattison, the foremost Democrat of Pennsylvania is removed from the scene of action. Sorrow for the dead leader is not, however, confined to the ranks of his party, for Mr. Pattison was highly esteemed by all and loved by all who knew him well. The kindly personality of the man impressed itself upon acquaintances, for while the former governor was severe in his integrity he possessed a most genial spirit. He was a fascinating conversationalist, his broad culture lending peculiar charm to his speech. Erudite always, but never pedantic.

Twice elected governor of the Republican state of Pennsylvania after having been twice elected controller of the Republican city of Philadelphia, Mr. Pattison was the most highly honored Democrat of his time. These facts in themselves speak eloquently of the high esteem in which he was held by his fellow citizens. His successive elections were not mere accident, but were popular testimonials to the integrity of his character, his honesty of purpose and his executive ability. As controller of Philadelphia he brought the city out of financial discredit to good standing among the municipalities of the country. As governor during his first term he probably gave the state the best administration in its history. That his second term was not as satisfactory was due more to the men called into his official family than to the governor himself.

Mr. Pattison was devoted to his party by reason of a sincere conviction that its principles were right. He idealized them. Mistaken as he was in his political opinions, his public policies were not wide of the mark, for he made them conform to his personal sense of justice rather than to partisan interpretations. He practically sacrificed his life to the service of his party. A man of tremendous energy, intellectual capacity and physical endurance, he yet worked beyond the safe limit. His success as governor and controller was achieved by hard work, no task being too great for him, no detail too small to receive his personal attention and consideration. But the onerous duties he imposed upon himself broke down his health. At the recent convention, though ill, he set to work with the old-time force, heedless of the fact that the passing years were sapping his vitality.

In business Mr. Pattison was widely known and universally respected. His incorruptible honesty was as marked in the counting-house as in the executive chamber. Connected, as he was, with the ventures of that brilliant but reckless financier, the late William M. Singerly, Mr. Pattison's reputation was utterly unclouded by the disasters that befel those enterprises. He was really rated higher than before.

Robert E. Pattison was born in Quantico, Md., in 1850. His parents removed to Philadelphia in 1856, his father having become attached to the Philadelphia conference, Methodist Episcopal church. The elder Pattison, though born in Maryland, also, was loyal to the union during the war and served his country. Gov. Pattison was always a stanch friend of the soldiers' orphans school, and to him they owed much for his fostering care during both of his administrations as governor. Mr. Pattison made mistakes, but the good he did far outweighs the evil.

## *More Japanese Success.*

Fighting has been continuous on the Russian front from Hai-Cheng to Liao-Yang since last Friday. The heaviest attack of the Japanese appears to have been delivered against a strong Russian position at Simoucheng (spelled on some maps Shibmu-cheng), which lies about 12 miles east of Hai-Cheng. The Japanese were repulsed several times in trying to gain the heights, but finally, after a heavy bombardment of the position, they drove an assault home and occupied the position. It is believed Gen. Kuropatkin directed the defense in person. The result puts in extreme jeopardy the Russian rearguard under Gen. Stakelberg, which has been fighting to retard the advance of Gen. Oku's forces from the south.

During the same time Gen. Kuroki has fought at least two victorious engagements with the Russian division under command of Gen. Count Keller, this gallant commander being killed during one of them. There is some confusion of dates concerning this fighting, but the latest published advices from Gen. Kuropatkin tell of it and also mention the strengthening of Gen. Kuroki's forces at Schwangtiatze, on the Siamatze-Mukden road. This position is near the railroad, between Liao-Yang and Mukden, and the force concentrating there threatens at once the Russian line of communication and the ancient Manchurian capital.

It is realized even at St. Petersburg that Kuropatkin is probably unable to repeat his strategic movement toward the interior, since he was forced by Alexieff and the war office to make the demonstration southward against Gen. Oku. If he cannot withdraw on account of the pressure upon his lines north of Liao-Yang, it will readily be understood that if defeated he will be at the mercy of the Japanese, whose numbers are now the wonder of the St. Petersburg war office. Meanwhile a large number of Japanese troops have just been debarked at Niuchwang, with the supposed intention of advancing up the Liao and Hun river valleys to the Russian rear. Every indication impresses the belief that the decisive battle is progressing. It may be composed of a large number of separate engagements, in different parts of the field, but these will ultimately blend into a harmonious whole, executing the carefully laid plans of the Japanese. The Russians, cornered as they appear to be, will fight gamely and the casualty lists will be large, but Japanese victory seems certain.

The same is true at Port Arthur. Successive assaults there are weakening the garrison, while the besieging forces are being strengthened by fresh recruits. The fall of the fortress may be delayed for a few days or a few weeks, according to circumstances, but its doom is sealed and the date is not far away. Admiral Togo's fleet may be needed elsewhere before the end of this month, and Japan is not squeamish about making sacrifices to gain an end.

Another youth has gone insane from "excessive cigarette smoking," according to an Atlantic City telegram. But this announcement will not deter the coupon accumulation habit.

The weather man sits in his twentieth floor room and seems to enjoy the joke as he sends out the report that the thermometer only registers 90.

The New York Chinaman whose head is considered worth $50,000, beats anything in that line which has visited Pittsburgh for some time.

The Lexington editor who bolted the Parker ticket does not mention Goebelism, but it's a safe wager that he had that in mind also.

The beef strike caused a new record to be made at the Herrs Island stock yards. That is where we reap after Chicago's sowing.

Judge Parker's only caller yesterday was a book agent selling "The Writings of Thomas Jefferson." Of course he made a sale.

Kuropatkin is saving work by eliminating the "I regret to report" phrase. Everyone now knows just how much he regrets it.

Judge Parker is manifesting impolitic partiality in showing his letter of acceptance to Cleveland and ignoring Bryan.

Just as Texas was in a fair way to be forgotten, a train robber drags the state into prominence again.

A letter from Andre dated in 1898 has been received. We fear it is now too late to answer it.

The contract has been let for the enlarging of the county jail. Now will you be good!

This is not the sort of weather that should drive a man to drink anything but water.

Again the decisive battle in the war in the far east is being fought.

### Missourians Have Been Shown.

"There is hardly a doubt of the election of Joe Folk as governor of Missouri," said R. H. Williams, a leading wholesale merchant of Kansas City, at the New Willard.

"Though a life-long Republican, I admire Mr. Folk immensely for his great war on the corruptionist gang of St. Louis. Republicans by the score take the view that his services against the grafters entitle him to promotion, and I think many of them will give him their support. Curiously enough many Missouri Democrats are very much of the same mind as to President Roosevelt. They regard him as a man of great probity of character, the sworn foe of crookedness in private and official life, and it would not be very surprising if many of them displayed their good will by voting for him instead of the nominee of their own party."—Washington Post.

## Talked of in Gotham

By ALEXANDER DODDS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 1.—An Episcopal bishop will tomorrow dedicate a saloon in this city, and the audience at this "opening" will conclude the exercises by singing a sacred gloria. The subway tavern has been founded by Joseph Johnson, Jr., and is modeled after the ideas of Earl Grey and on the Norwegian system of government control. Outside and inside the tavern looks much as do the other saloons of this city. There is the usual resplendent display of electric lights and gilt letters and indeed the appointments are even of a more sprightly vein than those of any saloon in the vicinity of the corner of Mulberry and Bleeker streets.

The wide front door opens to a room occupied by a cigar stand and a soda fountain. This is as far as the women will be permitted to enter. Back of this is the barroom, which, with its lunch and free lunch counters is of the regulation style of the average New York saloon. Here every drink known to the bartenders' art will be served at the prices of the neighborhood and any man who feels he must have a drink of alcoholic liquor will be served the absolutely pure brand he calls for. It is here the institution differs from a majority of the grog shops of Mulberry street, for the excise commission states it is almost impossible to find pure liquor. It is intended to have the free lunch a little better than the usual custom, and every effort will be made to serve the intemperate in a manner that will induce them to come to the tavern, instead of going to the low resorts of the neighborhood. Robert Fulton Cutting, a reformer of note in the metropolis, is at the head of the movement and is much encouraged over the future of the tavern. The City club is greatly interested in the scheme, and if it proves practical the days of the gin mills in downtown New York may be said to be numbered as new taverns will be started and the saloons either forced to come to the tavern level or suspend business.

### Storm Made the Merchants Happy.

From a cloudless sky this afternoon descended the worst rain that New York has experienced this summer. The shopping streets were filled with pedestrians at the time and all had to scurry to the neighboring stores for shelter from the storm. It is the first day in two months that the stores were filled with people and consequently the receipts returned to the old time "busy day" proportions.

After the rain came a terrific gale and thunderstorm and almost the first bolt of lightning splintered the flagstaff on the postoffice building. The flagpole on the Flatiron building at Twenty-third street also suffered the same fate later. The storm lasted but half an hour, but in that time it had swept everything portable on the roofs of houses from their resting places and uprooted trees in the upper sections of the city.

### Wild Beast Hunt in Bronx Park.

Frightened from its hiding place in the dense hedge surrounding the lion house at the Bronx zoo early today, by the torches of a score of attendants and policemen who were beating the underbrush, "Prince," the "snow" leopard, who had escaped from his cage, with a roar that could be heard all over the park, made a leap for Policeman Kane. The policeman was armed with a shotgun aimed and fired just as the animal buried its huge body through the air and it fell to the ground dead. The dead beast was one of five animals of this kind in captivity in America and thousands on Sunday stopped to admire its sleek coat. Just how the beast escaped from its cage is not known unless, as the keepers suspect, it made a flying jump from a perch to a skylight, high in the air, and then crawled to the roof. If such is the case it had to jump fully 25 feet to reach the ground.

### Finding Parents by Megaphone.

Children are restored to "lost parents" by megaphone at Coney Island nowadays. The megaphone man calls the names of the children whose parents, absorbed in the wonders of this pleasure resort, stray from their offspring, while the guards gather in the little ones and give them a stick of candy. The Dreamland press agents, among whom is Harry Schwab, well known in Pittsburgh, think a fetching sentimental ballad might be written about a worried mother, conscious of the fact that Bostock's lions and other beasts of the jungle are fond of tender children for luncheon, finding joy and relief in the roar of the megaphone man announcing the finding of her lost babe. The megaphone scheme was tried today with immense success. Little Elsie Kline got lost and when found was crying. Two minutes after the megaphone man heard about it Elsie was laughing away her tears. She was "found."

### Another Advance in Hard Coal Prices.

The fourth advance of 10 cents a ton, ordered by the anthracite coal operators, in accordance with their agreement made last March, went into effect today. This month the retail price of domestic sizes will be $6.15 a ton. There is to be another advance of the same amount next month at which price the association announces it will keep coal for domestic purposes until the mid-winter months set in. In Brooklyn the retail coal dealers are already charging $6.25 a ton for anthracite. These advances are the result of a compact between the operators and the Coal Merchants' association of Manhattan and the Bronx, which practically controls all of the retail coal establishments in Greater New York.

### Summerfield Freed of His Wife for a Year.

"Larry" Summerfield, a man said to have more indictments against him than any other individual in New York, and who is also known in Pittsburgh for his alleged attempt to swindle George McLean, a Pittsburgh broker, was in court today to furnish security to pay his wife $10 weekly for the next year. Summerfield, when told what the bail was, became angry and after attempting to evade the law pulled from his pocket an enormous roll of bills and made the judge give him a receipt for one year's allowance for his better half. "Now I am free from her for a year," he exclaimed, as he stuffed the receipt in his pocket and sauntered out of court with his lawyer. Summerfield is now out on bail of $26,000 to answer charges of being implicated in wire tapping swindles.

### Duplicate Valuable Gems by Imitation.

Broadway is filled these days with scintillating gems, a peck of which cost less than one small unostentatious "gem of purest ray serene." It all comes from the hard luck theatrical season of last winter, and it is making a fortune for a small jeweler here who has found a way of building up the backs of the glass until it resembles the real diamond. This is the mecca of the actor whose pride will not allow him to work or let his friends know he is hard up. The real diamonds are taken from their settings of gold and pawned. Then the empty setting is taken to the man with the "phony" stones who has a standing offer of $1,000 for anyone who can detect the difference between the imitation jewel and the genuine.

### Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

**Waldorf-Astoria.**
E. G. Edrington, Mrs. E. G. Edrington.
**Fifth Avenue.**
C. Lavanehy, W. E. Kusen, S. B. Walton, F. A. Kingsley, Mrs. Kingsley, J. B. Greer, Miss J. C. Pfeffer.
**Grand Union.**
C. F. Barstow, Mrs. Barstow, A. D. Fiske, The Rev. B. J. Hynes.
**Hoffman.**
J. L. Roberts, F. Cutler, Mrs. Cutler.
**Herald Square.**
H. R. Edelman.
**Navarre.**
Miss G. Crowley.
**Sinclair.**
H. Phillips.
**Westminster.**
L. Flohlick, Miss M. Whelan.
**Grand.**
G. P. Morris, J. Marwick.
**Criterion.**
H. Hess, E. J. McCullough.
**Holland.**
Mrs. W. R. Baisinger, L. C. Baisinger, Mrs. F. G. Aten.
**Astor.**
J. G. Wisener, Mrs. Wisener, Mrs. M. B. Jackson, L. Robinson, F. M. Rugler.
**Imperial.**
R. Q. Cleavanger, S. C. Sibley, A. B. Capen.
**Manhattan.**
J. R. Kornblum, Miss E. L. Young.

### Same Here, Brother Ridgway.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding—couldn't Brother Bassler allow the rains from heaven to fall just a little bit on the parched earth? Not too heavy, but just heavy enough.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

## The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

You hear that boy laughing?
You think he is all fun;
But the angels laugh, too,
At the good he has done.
—O. W. Holmes.

There isn't any other time in the year, perhaps, that recalls a man's boyhood days more forcibly or more pleasantly than harvest time. Nor was it a picnic time, at least not from start to finish, but a most strenuous time on account of there being so much to do between showers, for there is usually more or less rain along about this time.

The half-grown boy had to bear the brunt of the hard work, so he thought, and he had some excuse for his thoughts. Being a hobbledehoy, neither man nor boy, he was liable to be called to do the work of either man or boy, and maybe both.

It isn't much wonder, therefore, that he sometimes felt that he was doing about all of the really hard work on the farm. And yet he didn't always complain on this account, but sometimes took it as a compliment to be rated competent to tackle anything that came along. This particular boy, however, was an exception to the rule. Compliments involving hard work were not much sought after.

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If there were any picnics going during harvest time it was the small boy who enjoyed them, for he rode the horses out to the field, and down to the watering trough, had all the harvest apple dumplings, boiled dinners and berry pies he could eat, and as many fights with bumble bees and "yaller jackets" as he wanted, with now and then an extra one forced on him.

Had it not been for his having to put in a part of his time toting stove wood, grabbling new potatoes and churning he would have felt more contented, perhaps.

Churning was what he disliked most. And can you blame him? Those of you whose biceps were largely developed by operating an old-fashioned dash churn will not, I cannot, blame him a little bit. As a physical exercise this is great and while not very heavy nor very hard work, yet it doesn't comport well with a boy's genius; or as he would say, it doesn't gee with his feelings.

The more reasonable explanation of the boy's dislike for churning is that it lacks the element of fun and the charm of mischief. Although there is a lot more hard work in digging after a groundhog or fighting bumble bees, they being much less tiresome and more agreeable to a boy than churning.

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If any member of the family had a really, truly picnic during harvest time, it was the boy not yet big enough to do chores, except to carry chips for the fire and join in the daily feasts.

You may have known such a boy—maybe you were such an one yourself. There are plenty of them here and there and everywhere, but being man grown one can't spot them as surely as when they went about on one tiptoe to ease a stone bruise, or on one heel to protect a stubbed toe, or with a bunged-up eye to testify that they had been in close quarters with bumble bees or hornets.

Nor were you ashamed of these, but regarded them rather as marks of distinction. In fact the boy with the biggest bumble bee swell was an object of envy among others of his class, while his description of the fight, the story of his daring approach to the nest and of his terrible set-to with wisps of hay, bunches of weeds or a leafy limb of some sort, would rival in interest the yarn of a sea soldier.

These scrimmages and fights were as much to him then as were the skirmishes and battles in which he figured years later. Fighting bumble bees, hornets and yellow jackets don't sound very big to you now, but it did then, and it was right there you got your first training as a warrior, and there you showed whether you had the pluck of a good soldier or not.

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Getting out of bed at break of day was one of the harvest customs, or habits, to which the small boy didn't take kindly. He may have heard his grandmother or some of the wise ones telling of the unhealthiness of damp, foggy, chilly morning air, but the reason why he wanted to lie abed until after sunrise was that he was sleepy.

You may remember how you used to make promise after promise when your mother called up the stairs again and again, with nothing doing in the getting up line. And now, when your pap yelled just once, there was a pattering of bare feet on the bare floor overhead.

Your pap, as well as all other paps, was liable to have a harvest fit on about this time. One of the main symptoms of this, as you recall it now, was rising unnecessarily early and then nagging and disturbing those who hadn't the fit, until they would have to get up just to stop his fussing.

But there was the kitchen stove with a cozy nook behind it where mother kept the cream crock in winter time, and the batter crock when buckwheats were on tap, so to speak. You may have had to climb over the dog and push the cat aside in order to get in, but when you got there it was all right.

If you happened to have a brother a notch older, or a notch younger, or both, you may have had to do some scrouging to get into that warm nest, unless you got there first. Even then you may have had to hold your ground by outscrapping the others, or enlisting the sympathies of your mother in your behalf.

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Sometimes you were not permitted to nestle in the cozy corner behind the stove, but had to chase out after the cows.

And haven't you noticed that cows have, or had then, a most reprehensible habit of bivouacking at the farther side of the pasture? And how deaf they seemed to be, for you might sit on the fence and call them—call them in any tone from grave to gay, from plaintive to fierce or even angry, and they would simply lie still and chew on.

Nothing short of wading across the field through wet grass and with chattering teeth, would bring them. This was bad enough at best, but if you happened to have a stubbed toe done up in a rag and a few choice sand cracks under your other toes, it was just too bad, for by the time you were half way across the field your toe rag would be wet and loose and every sand crack would have a blade of fox tail wedged in it tight and fast.

That you would be pretty tolerable mad by this time is a safe guess. Nor could anyone blame you for gathering rocks, clods and clubs as you picked your way along, your toe rag getting wetter and looser and the sand cracks burning like fire. The only satisfaction you could hope for would be in knocking a horn off of old "Spotty," breaking one of "Rosy's" ribs or driving one of the red heifer's eyes plum back into her head.

Then, as if to show forth the innate perversity of cow nature, the beasts would get up, stretch themselves and mosey off homeward, circling around out of your reach.

But there was left for you the satisfaction of warming your feet in the smoking beds left by the cows. And by the time you got your toe tied up and the sand cracks cleaned out, your mad fit had about passed off.

### The Old Boys in Washington.

If Henry Gassaway Davis, aged 81, is elected vice president he will make a very nice playmate indeed for Senator Pettus, who is 83; Senator Morgan, 80; Senator Hoar, 78; Senator Platt, 71; Senator Cullom, 75; Senator Depew, 70; Senator Hawley, 78; Senator Frye, 73; Senator Allison, 74, and Senator Proctor, 72.—Cleveland Leader.

## FABLES FROM THE NEWS.

The Candidate had just taken his Morning Swim when his Secretary, who also acts as Jester at Esopus Court, inquired:

"Do you think you will like Swimming in the Potomac, Nuncie?"

"Certainly or even in Salt River," replied the Candidate. "Anywhere so there be Water."

Which shows that Some Men will Jest even in the Face of Death.

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The Gent in the Red Vest and wearing a Red Nose had stopped to talk with the Man wearing a Tall Hat, Frock Coat, Goloshes and Spectacles.

"It is scandalous the Way the Candidate on the Tail of the Ticket plays cards!" exclaimed the Man.

"I should say it is," replied the Gent. "He must be in his Second Childhood. Not a cent staked on the board. It's an insult to the National Game of Draw!"

Which shows that being neither a Saint nor a Sinner is mighty poor Politics.

## Little Is in Doubt

By L. C. C.

While the country is plunging itself into the heat and dust of a presidential campaign and speculation runs rampant as to the possible result of the November ballot, it may be well to take a glance at the facts and conditions which will lead up to the ultimate outcome of the balloting. The campaign managers of both the great political parties have already begun to make claims of electoral votes for their respective candidates, and great stress is laid upon the ability of either party to carry New York state. While in the past the Empire state has been the pivot which turned the scales of the electoral vote, in very recent years there has been an element at work which has slowly but surely turned the tide of decisive power against the east. This has been the growth of population west of the Allegheny mountains and the consequent increase of presidential electors, added to the admission of new states in the far west. In the electoral college this year 476 votes will be cast, and 239, or a majority, will be necessary to elect the president of the United States.

A tabulation of the electoral vote as cast by each state, under normal political conditions, and placing all the so-called close or uncertain states in the doubtful column, gives the Republican ticket 242, or three more votes than are necessary to elect the president. These figures would seem to indicate that New York can be taken out of the account this year, as not being all-important in the presidential race. The table follows:

| REPUBLICAN. | | DEMOCRATIC. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| California | 10 | Alabama | 11 |
| Idaho | 3 | Arkansas | 9 |
| Illinois | 27 | Florida | 5 |
| Indiana | 15 | Georgia | 13 |
| Iowa | 13 | Kentucky | 13 |
| Kansas | 10 | Louisiana | 9 |
| Maine | 6 | Maryland | 8 |
| Massachusetts | 16 | Mississippi | 10 |
| Michigan | 14 | Missouri | 18 |
| Minnesota | 11 | North Carolina | 12 |
| Nebraska | 8 | South Carolina | 9 |
| New Hampshire | 4 | Tennessee | 12 |
| North Dakota | 4 | Texas | 18 |
| Ohio | 23 | Virginia | 12 |
| Oregon | 4 | | |
| Pennsylvania | 34 | Total | 159 |
| Rhode Island | 4 | DOUBTFUL. | |
| South Dakota | 4 | Connecticut | 7 |
| Vermont | 4 | Colorado | 5 |
| Washington | 5 | Delaware | 3 |
| West Virginia | 7 | Nevada | 3 |
| Wisconsin | 13 | New Jersey | 12 |
| Wyoming | 3 | New York | 39 |
| | | Utah | 3 |
| Total | 242 | Montana | 3 |
| Needed to elect | 239 | Total | 75 |

The conditions as shown by the foregoing table put the Democratic party squarely on the defensive side of the battle at the outset. All the Democrats have to claim as their own as they go into the fight is the electoral vote of the solid southern states, and even in this that party is conceded Maryland and Kentucky, which have hesitated and wavered in recent campaigns. But passing that over and adding the total of the electoral vote of the so-called doubtful states, including New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Connecticut, the Parker ticket is still five votes short of the number necessary to elect the president.

The four latter states are asserted by Democratic managers to be the fighting ground of this campaign, but it becomes apparent that the war must be carried in another direction to capture the majority of the electoral vote for Parker, for all the doubtful states can be put into the Democratic column without affecting the majority indicated by the Republican column. The states placed in the Republican column are normally Republican, and they are Republican states this year by their state administrations and their representation in the national house of representatives and in the United States senate.

The Democratic claim is being made that Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and West Virginia are not thoroughly grounded in Republicanism, but the claim does not seem to be borne out by the conditions.

On national issues and preferences the political complexion of Illinois and Indiana has not changed since these states twice gave McKinley their electoral vote. This condition is evidenced by the fact that more than two-thirds of the representation in congress from these states is Republican.

Wisconsin is as far from being debatable ground as is Pennsylvania or Texas. Whatever factional differences may disturb the party in the state campaign, the Republicans are thoroughly united on the national ticket.

The same conditions that tore West Virginia from the solid south and delivered the state over to the Republican party exist today. The state administration is Republican, the solid delegation of five members in the house of representatives is Republican and the United States senators are Republicans for the reason that the voters of the state have come into the belief, as firmly as Pennsylvania, that the Republican party's tariff policy is the parent of the great growth and development of the state.

Now as to the doubtful column, which without argument might be turned into the Democratic column without making up the necessary majority. But for the sake of argument, there is a wide field here for the Republican ticket to largely increase its electoral vote. New York with 39 votes in the electoral college, has all the earmarks of a Republican state. In 1896 that state gave McKinley a plurality of 268,469 and in 1900 he carried the state by 143,606. Since the latter date a Republican governor has been elected and the majority of congressmen and both United States senators are Republican. Practically the same conditions apply to New Jersey, Delaware and Connecticut. Colorado, Nevada, Utah and Montana, which were carried away from the Republican fold on the wings of free silver, have been gradually dropping back into camp.

Taken all in all, the Republican party is on the ground and the Democrats must fight for every inch of vantage gained in the present national campaign.

### Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

**Planters.**
R. A. King, James M. Kirby, John G. Lease, W. W. Wolfe, Charles Dickson, Mrs. Dickson, A. M. Lynn, Mrs. Lynn, A. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Kirkpatrick.
**Epworth.**
E. J. Wilson, Mrs. E. H. Wilson.
**Monticello.**
B. K. Dunn.
**Southern.**
Thomas J. Stevenson, C. M. Jenneys, W. R. Haines, M. E. Sanslaw, E. Sanstaw.
**Grandview.**
W. P. Adams.
**Washington.**
C. W. Darwin.

### IT IS TO SMILE.

"My husband says if you want to be successful when you're fishing you mustn't talk."

"Of course, that's true."

"But suppose you're fishing for a compliment?"—Philadelphia Press.

"How long have you been here?" asked the girl who had just arrived at the summer resort.

"Oh, only three rings," replied the other girl, holding up her hand.—Chicago Record-Herald.

"How does that candidate strike you?"

"That's the funny thing about him," answered Senator Sorgham. "He hasn't struck me for anything as yet."—Washington Star.

The Monkey Comedian—What is Madame Hippo kicking about now?

The Stork Manager—She complains that the limelight isn't big enough. It only covers part of her figure.—Puck.

"These cards is wore out," complained the old bos'n in Snug Harbor; "why don't ye get a new deck? Ye kin buy a good one fur a quarter."

"We're only plain sailors," replied the gunner's mate, "so the quarter deck's too rich fur our blood."—Philadelphia Ledger.

### LAUGHTER WRINKLES.

When you're feelin' grouchy
Let the sunshine in;
When your face gits feelin' hard
Crack it with a grin.

Don't be 'fraid o' wrinkles,
Tear loose with your mirth;
An old face laughter-wrinkled
Is the sweetest thing on earth.
—Houston Post.

## The Death Roll

### Rev. James H. Leitch.

The Rev. James H. Leitch, aged 34, pastor of the Good Hope United Presbyterian mission, Penn avenue and Twenty-fourth street, died yesterday morning at 2 o'clock at the West Penn hospital of typhoid fever. He became sick last Tuesday after preaching the sermon at the installation of the Rev. W. R. Jamison at Rennerdale. Mr. Leitch went to the home of his mother, Mrs. Martha Leitch in Tremont street, Allegheny, and on Sunday the physicians advised that he be removed to the hospital. He was a son of James Leitch and born in Allegheny. The Rev. Mr. Leitch prepared for the ministry at Westminster and Muskingum colleges and was graduated from the latter in 1896. He was graduated from the Allegheny Theological seminary in 1899. During his seminary days Mr. Leitch was a leader in the movement to organize Good Hope mission. He served the First United Presbyterian church, Jeannette, as pastor for four years and then accepted a call to the Good Hope mission, which he served for one year. Mr. Leitch married Miss Jennie Mawhinney of Jeannette last Thanksgiving day. Besides his widow and mother, three brothers, Attorney Robert H. Leitch, William J. and George H. Leitch, survive. The remains will lie in state at the Fourth United Presbyterian church, Arch street and Montgomery avenues, Allegheny, from 4 to 7 p. m. today. Funeral services will be held over the remains in the church at 3 p. m.

### Mrs. Amanda S. Chess.

Mrs. Amanda Sterrett Chess, widow of Moses Chess, who for many years was a leading citizen of Allegheny county, died at noon yesterday at her country home in Chartiers township, after a long illness. Mrs. Chess was the daughter of Robert Sterrett, who was very widely known and highly respected in the earlier days of the county. She was born in the old Sterrett homestead near Crafton and not far from where she died. Mrs. Chess was a life-long resident of Chartiers township and was an excellent business manager. She possessed one of the largest estates held by a woman in the county and she managed all her affairs with good judgment. She was an earnest and active Christian worker and liberal in her support of the West End Presbyterian church, with which she had long been connected. She is survived by five sons, Attorney Robert S. Chess, of the Allegheny county bar; Dr. Moses Chess, of Penn avenue; John Edwin Park Chess, Norman Trew Chess and Walter Kerfoot Chess; also by two sisters, Mrs. Rachel Chess of Crafton, widow of Goodman Y. Chess, and Mrs. Martha Fall of this county. Funeral services will be conducted at her late residence tomorrow afternoon by the Rev. Dr. E. B. Donehoo, for many years the pastor of the family.

### Michael Freund.

Michael Freund, one of the oldest citizens of Western Pennsylvania, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. S. Hoffman, at Indiana, yesterday. He was almost 91 years old, being born in Aschaffenburg, Bavaria, April 23, 1814. When a young man he came to America and settled in Pennsylvania, where he secured employment under Capt. Marshall, one of the earliest boatmen on the Pennsylvania canal. Tiring of this life he became an iron worker at Brady's Bend, and in 1870 the family moved to Indiana, where they have resided since. Mr. Freund is survived by three children, as follows: Mrs. J. S. Hoffman, Jacob Freund of Independence, Mo., and Frank M. Freund of Indiana. Funeral services will be held in St. Bernard's Catholic church tomorrow morning.

### Franklin Horner Buried.

The remains of Franklin Horner, a civil war veteran, were buried yesterday afternoon from his late residence in Sherman street, Wilkinsburg. The Rev. O. A. Emerson of the Denny Methodist Episcopal church officiated and paid a high tribute to the dead soldier. Justice of the Peace Samuel Creelman, John Marsh, D. R. Douthett, B. F. Shafer, C. C. Babbitt and A. R. Barnhart were the pallbearers. Members of

# WANTS B. & O.'S OFFICES HERE

Merchants & Manufacturers' Association Would Have System's Headquarters Moved.

PRESENTS A STRONG PETITION

Backed by a petition signed by 200 of the most representative manufacturing, mercantile and banking concerns of Pittsburg and Allegheny county, General Manager James W. Wardrop of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, will today formally request the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company to transfer its general offices from Baltimore to Pittsburgh. The petition will be delivered to George F. Randolph, first vice president of the company, who acts on behalf of President Oscar G. Murray, who is in Europe.

Just when a decision will be reached on this question cannot be told as yet, but behind the petition are signatures that represent more than twice the total traffic of Baltimore.

The petition is presented to the president and directors of the Baltimore & Ohio. It recites the claims that Pittsburgh presents to the management of the Baltimore & Ohio on account of its originating of a vast volume of traffic, and the troubles Pittsburgh shippers have encountered by reason of the distance of the executive offices from this city. The petition says in conclusion:

Central for All B. & O. Lines.

In view of the recent disastrous fire in Baltimore, compelling the reconstruction of your general offices and the reorganization of the different departments of your business, we beg to suggest to you the great disadvantage our citizens have been subjected to in the line in transacting business with you because of the distance and delay in reaching your executive officers. This has resulted in great loss to your company and to us.

The opportunity is now afforded you, and good business methods suggest that you combine the proposed office buildings of both lines and Pittsburgh into one large office building in Pittsburgh, a building that will at once be a substantial evidence of your progressiveness and a more fitting monument of the greatness of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, than a transfer of executive and general offices to this city, and thus foster and increase our business with your company.

Pittsburgh is central for your line as a whole and is the greatest tonnage district on the line. Good business requires that tonnage to be directed from this point. The largest shippers have their traffic managers here, and they should be in immediate touch with your executive officers. We therefore respectfully request your serious consideration of the suggestions herein contained.

General Manager Wardrop issued yesterday a circular to members of the association announcing the details of the first inbound trade excursion which is to take place the latter part of this month. The co-operation of every firm and company belonging to the association in boosting out the advantages of the Pittsburgh market and offering special attractions is urged.

To the members of the association folders descriptive of the reduced rates are being distributed for further distribution to the particular trade with which the respective member does business. It is proposed to have one of the circulars in the possession of every retail merchant between New England and the Mississippi river before the dates chosen.

Certificate Plan Used.

The circulars announce the dates of purchase of the tickets as August 20-24, inclusive. West of Pittsburgh the tickets are good for return until August 31. East of Pittsburgh the tickets are good for return for 15 days from date of purchase.

The certificate plan is used in these reductions. The full fare is paid en route to Pittsburgh. A certificate is given at purchase which upon being approved by the joint agents of all the railroads at headquarters of the association entitles the merchants to purchase the return ticket for one-third the regular fare. This makes the reduction one-third of the regular price for the trip both ways.

It is said that there will be many special excursions provided for these visiting merchants on this trip. Several of the large stores are making arrangements to render the visit an interesting one.

## BREAKS ALL RECORDS FOR PROMPT PAYMENTS

Soldiers of National Guard Will Speedily Get Their Money for Camp Service.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, PA., August 1.—Adjutant General Stewart has broken all records for prompt payment of the Pennsylvania national guard for camp service, by paying the troops within two days of the close of the last division encampment at Gettysburg. Warrants were issued today for the pay of all the organizations of the First and Second brigades, with the exception of troops A and F, whose member rolls have not yet been received, and Company M, Eighteenth regiment, whose roll is incomplete.

To insure prompt delivery of the warrants, they were sent by express, and all commanding officers of the regiments were notified by telegraph. The warrants for the pay of the Third brigade are being made out tonight and will be forwarded tomorrow morning. Until Gen. Stewart took charge of the adjutant general's department the troops were required to wait from two to four months for their pay for camp duty.

Tents and other camp equippage was shipped from the state arsenal today to Mt. Gretna, where the annual rifle matches will be held, beginning next Monday. At these matches a team of 18 persons will be selected to represent the Pennsylvania guard at the national match at Fort Riley, Kan., beginning August 22. Maj.-Gen. Miller sails for Europe August 10, and will not be able to be present at the matches.

## WILSONS GET CONTRACT.

Local Firm Will Build Important Additions to the Allegheny County Jail.

Commissioners Mercer and Clark and Controller Cunningham yesterday awarded A. & S. Wilson the contract for the erection of extensive additions to the Allegheny county jail. Their bid was $568,-650.

The work on the new building will not begin until after the September grand jury has passed upon the petition to condemn the property of Caroline Smith. The ground is needed for the jail extension and the commissioners have been unable to reach a satisfactory understanding with the owner about the price. One grand jury has already approved the condemnation proceedings.

The addition to the jail must be completed by September, 1905. The new prison will be one of the largest and best in the country, and will not have cost nearly so much as some smaller institutions. The enlarged jail will have cell room for 800 prisoners. The present prison has 310 cells.

The contract for a new ventilating and heating plant for the county buildings was not awarded. Frank B. Merrick was given the contract for laying an interlocking rubber tiling floor in the large criminal court room. The price of the work will be $2,325.

The following disposition was made of the four road contracts: Monroeville, Foley Bros., $54,950; Campmeeting, Keeling & Ridge Company, $46,875; Foster, W. W. Kelley, $34,169; Coultersville, W. W. Kelley, $15,385.

## ADDITIONS TO PARK ZOO.

Riverview Gets a Bear Cub and Highland a Greene County Product.

Charles C. Scaife of Sewickley yesterday presented the Riverside park zoo, Allegheny, with a black bear cub captured in Florida some months ago. It is not much bigger than a Newfoundland puppy and is as playful as a kitten.

The new shelter house in Riverside park, Allegheny, will be ready for dedication about August 15. Director McIlwain is planning a demonstration in honor of the event.

Select Councilman William McKelvey of the Eighth ward donated a chicken to the Highland zoo yesterday. It was captured in Greene county when small and sent to him and has grown so large that it destroys the flowers and vines in his garden.

# INTERCEPTED THE STRIKE BREAKERS

Joseph Leiter and His Agents Outgeneraled by Patrick Dolan's Miners.

ALL BUT FOUR DESERTED

Joseph Leiter, who made an unsuccessful attempt to corner the wheat market some years ago, has made another failure. This time he tried to take a train load of strike breakers to his mines at Ziegler, Ill. He succeeded in gathering up about 100 and landed them at the Water street station of the B. & O. last evening, but to the surprise of his agents, Patrick Dolan's lieutenants were in waiting for them, and all deserted the Leiter ranks but four. The incident at the station created a great deal of interest.

About two weeks ago Mr. Leiter came to Pittsburgh and secured the services of a Penn avenue employment agency to get strike breakers. To make sure of his intentions he personally went into the coke regions and solicited help in getting practical coal miners. He visited Greensburg and Connellsville, and several other towns in the soft coal region. During his visit to the city he left the impression that he was here in the interest of his invention for making coke from Illinois coal, the coke to be used for steaming purposes, doing away with anthracite coal.

When Mr. Leiter visited Pittsburgh the local officials of the United Mine Workers received word from Ziegler that a strike had been declared July 12. Circulars were sent out to all bituminous fields notifying the miners of the strike and immediately Patrick Dolan put his organizers on detective duty.

Without creating suspicion the organizers learned that a Penn avenue employment agent was in the coke regions securing miners and J. N. Zooks, assistant superintendent of the Leiter mine, was also in the coke district for that purpose. The United Mine Workers' organizers could not prevent them canvassing, so they decided to wait until the agents collected the men together. This they did yesterday morning. Word reached the city office that the strike breakers would reach Pittsburgh about 6 o'clock and Patrick Dolan ordered his entire staff to the station to meet them.

James Walchhorn gave notice of the train's arrival and when it entered the station William Little squeezed through the gates and started to talk. Immediately 12 others joined in the conversation and in a few minutes the strike breakers decided to return home, with the exception of four, who followed the agent before matters could be explained to them.

## REPUBLICANS WILL NOT HAVE A CANDIDATE

Party in the Ninth Ward Will Not Nominate a Man for Councilman.

Ninth ward Republicans will not have a candidate for select councilman and will not indorse a Democrat.

There was a meeting of the ward committee last night, attended by 11 out of the 12 members. It was found that no Republican could enter the contest. There was a discussion of the advisability of indorsing either Edward Sweeney, who was nominated by the Democrats, or William Sullivan, who failed to secure the Democratic nomination, and may become an independent candidate. The committee decided it would not indorse either of the men. It is probable now that Sullivan will not be a candidate and that Sweeney will have a clear field at the election to be held Friday.

William Adams of Wilmerding will be the Socialist Labor candidate for assemblyman in the Eighth district. In 1902 he was his party's nominee for governor.

Francis L. Robbins, the Pennsylvania member of the committee that notified President Roosevelt of his nomination, has returned to Pittsburgh. He is confident that the Republican ticket will win this fall.

## PRIEST AVERTED PANIC.

Composed Congregation During a Fire by Lifting Hand as if Giving Benediction.

Presence of mind of the Rev. Father Joseph Meyer of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Twenty-eighth street, South Side, averted what might have been a serious panic during a funeral mass in the church yesterday morning.

In the midst of high mass over the remains of Frank Geyer of 2522 Carey alley, and with 400 members of the congregation in the pews, a fire started in the sacristy behind the altar. Smoke began pouring into the auditorium when Father Meyer, stopping the celebration, stepped into the center aisle of the church and uplifted his hand as if to give the benediction. The restless congregation at once became composed while the priest assured them there was no danger.

Meanwhile, the organist, Carl Guthoeri, entered the sacristy and bore out the robes and habiliments of the priests. Firemen arrived and mass was suspended until the fire was extinguished. The loss was only $50.

## MINISTER WAS ROBBED.

Thief Entered Home of Dr. J. T. McCrory and Took Jewelry and Money.

Housebreakers are giving special attention to officers of the Allegheny County Sabbath association. The home of the Rev. Dr. J. T. McCrory, pastor of the Third United Presbyterian church and chairman of the executive committee of the association, at 1826 Webster avenue was entered early Saturday morning by means of a rear window.

From the sleeping apartment of Dr. McCrory on the second floor a gold watch was stolen which was presented to him by his congregation 15 years ago. It was very valuable and richly engraved. The clothes of the pastor were rifled of money while several purses of Mrs. McCrory were emptied. Two weeks ago the home of the Rev. E. C. Lane on Mt. Washington, secretary of the Sabbath association, was entered and completely ransacked.

## BRADDOCK'S BOND ISSUE.

Citizens Will Vote on Two Propositions for Improvements.

Citizens of Braddock will vote on two bond issues today. It is proposed to issue $113,326.57 borough bonds, to be used in paying off outstanding warrants amounting to $70,000, and to continue the improvements of the borough streets and highways.

There are also a number of other improvements, including the erection of a wharf and establishing a police patrol wagon system. The school bond issue is for $70,000, to pay for the new First ward school. There is no opposition to either issue.

Teamsters on Strike in Vienna.

VIENNA, Aug. 1.—Ten thousand teamsters began a strike today. The public is suffering great inconvenience, as the drivers of water carts and garbage wagons are among the strikers. The chief demands are an increase in wages and 11 hours' work per day.


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# EVIDENT LAMMAR WAS MURDERED

Wheeling Coroner Convinced Knife Used Did Not Belong to Victim.

BODY BROUGHT TO THIS CITY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WHEELING, W. VA., Aug. 1.—Coroner Fitzpatrick feels certain that Joseph Lammar of Elliott, Pa., whose dead body was found yesterday, was murdered. The police are divided between the suicide and foul play theories. The coroner's view was strengthened when Undertaker Anton Staab, a neighbor and close friend of Lammar, examined the knife which was plunged into Lammar's heart and declared it was not the property of the dead man. Lammar carried a pearl handle knife with which Staab was familiar. The weapon which produced his death had a bone handle. It was sent into the heart with such force that part of the handle penetrated the flesh. Coroner Fitzpatrick declares that Lammar could not have inflicted such a wound. The coroner's jury viewed the body today and the hearing of evidence will take place Tuesday. There is absolutely no evidence as yet to fasten the crime on anybody. The man giving the name of W. R. Williams, who was arrested for assault will be held, awaiting developments. Williams' conduct has been suspicious since his arrest.

The body of Lammar was brought to the undertaking establishment of A. A. Stead, West End, last evening. Owing to its decomposed state it was not taken to the Lammar home in Elliott, and funeral services will be held at the undertaking establishment this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. Father Woelful, pastor of St. Martin's Roman Catholic church, West End, will officiate.

At the Lammar residence last night Mrs. Lammar stated that she firmly believed her husband was murdered. She said he left home July 22 in company with a strange man and had not been seen in Elliott or the West End since.

## SUCCESSOR TO PLEHVE.

Kristi Now Mentioned—Establishing of a Responsible Cabinet in Russia Being Widely Advocated.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—M. Kristl, the governor of Moscow, is now prominently mentioned as successor to M. Von Plehve as minister of the interior.

The suggestion of M. Souvorin, editor of the Novoe Vremya, regarding the establishment of a responsible cabinet, is creating much popular comment. Great significance attaches to the freedom with which the newspapers are discussing the matter.

CARLSBAD, Aug. 1.—Mr. McCormick, the American ambassador to Russia, suddenly terminated his stay at the baths here today and departed for St. Petersburg.

## GET READY TO BEGIN.

Rumor That Boulevard Traction Line Will Be Built This Fall.

Actual construction work on the new traction line on the Grant Boulevard will be started September 1, according to a statement made yesterday by one who is in a position to watch the inside of the traction muddle. It is said that this starting work will be one of the means by which the Philadelphia Company and the Verner syndicate will try to head off the Hall syndicate in the latter's efforts to get the boulevard for itself.

The statement could not be verified last night. The persons in authority are not talking at present on the subject.

Celebration Ended in Riot.

During a Slavish celebration at Riley station, on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, early yesterday morning, a fight occurred in which 50 Slavs took part. Knives, clubs and beer bottles were used. Steve Pagan, Louis Toath, Steve Barrish and John Judy were seriously cut and bruised. They went before Justice Jones of Homestead and made informations against George Toath and Louis Barrish, who were held for court.


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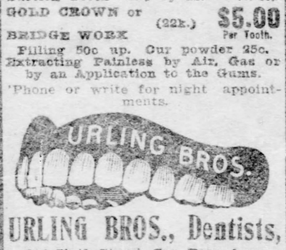


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# PLANS ARE READY FOR FRICK HOTEL

Architect Atterbury of New York Has Completed the Designs.

TIME OF START IS NOT TOLD

Plans completed only within the past week for the mammoth hotel which H. C. Frick has had in mind to build on the old cathedral site and the adjoining episcopal property, are in the office of Grosvenor Atterbury, a New York architect. The plans provide for something far finer in the way of a hotel than anything Pittsburgh has at present. It remains to be seen when definite steps will be taken toward its erection.

Mr. Atterbury is well known here, although he is comparatively young. He designed the Bessemer building, just completed by Henry Phipps at Duquesne way and Sixth street. He has done other fine work, particularly handsome residences in New York and other eastern cities.

One of the causes of delay in announcing the use to which Mr. Frick proposed to put the cathedral site was the uncertainty over the removal of "the hump." The decision of the voters last month that as put forward then the bond issue was not justified, has ended the doubt for some time to come, but whether Mr. Frick is now willing to go ahead with the hotel plan is still an unanswered question.

It is said that the plans which have been made will allow for the adaptation of the lower part of the hotel to the change in grade in case the hump should later be lowered. This provision has been made in other buildings, notably the Frick building and the court house.

When the plans for this hotel were drawn first, a couple of years ago, it was stated that an 18-story structure was determined upon. This building was to be constructed with an open court in the center. Whether the new plans will follow this line remains to be seen.

## DIED.

ALLEN—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 3 p. m., SILAS ALLEN, in his 71st year. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Promenade street, Crafton, Pa. (formerly Idlewood), on Wednesday, August 3, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CHESS—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at the residence, Chartiers township, Allegheny county, Pa., Mrs. AMANDA CHESS, widow of Moses Chess.

Funeral from her late residence on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FULTON—At Passavant hospital, on Monday, August 1, 1904, at 8:30 p. m., MRS. SOPHIE FULTON, wife of James Fulton, School street, Sharaden, in her 39th year.

Notice of funeral later.

GILLESPIE—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at Charlotte, N. C., WILLIAM K. GILLESPIE, aged 67 years.

Notice of funeral later.

GUTHRIE—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 7:55 p. m., MRS. MARY GUTHRIE, aged 53 years.

Notice of funeral later.

HESS—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 3 p. m., MARTHA A. HESS, in her 40th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, Plum township, on Wednesday, August 3, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

INGLIS—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 5:50 p. m., WALTER CHARLES, second son of Arthur W. and Ellen L. Inglis, aged 3 years, 3 months.

Funeral from family residence, 94 Woods Run avenue, Allegheny, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

JENNINGS—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 11:30 a. m., JILSON WADE JENNINGS, in his 39th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 6106 Ravenscroft street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KALTENHAUSER—Suddenly, on Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 7 p. m., LOWELL W. KALTENHAUSER, son of William and Teenie Kaltenhauser, nee Fehl, in his 15th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, Frederick street, Elliott borough, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KERR—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 5 p. m., MARY SIMPSON, relict of James Kerr, aged 88 years.

AT REST.

Dearest mother, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God who hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrow heal.

Funeral from her late residence, 427 Thirty-third street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KILLIAN—Suddenly on Saturday, July 30, 1904, at 4 p. m., at her residence, corner Homewood and Hamilton avenues, E. E., MRS. FRANCES KILLIAN, aged 49 years.

Funeral services at her late residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

KIRKLAND—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 2:15 p. m., ALICE MARIE KIRKLAND, age two years, two months, 10 days, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kirkland.

Funeral today at 2:30 p. m. from family residence, 147 Camp avenue, Braddock, Pa.

LEACY—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 10 a. m., CHARLES, only son of Charles and Ellen Leacy, aged 1 year 1 month 5 days.

Funeral services will be held at parents' residence, corner Tacoma and Singer streets, Thirty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday, August 2, at 2 p. m. Interment at Homewood cemetery.

LEITCH—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 2 a. m., THE REV. JAMES H. LEITCH, pastor of Good Hope United Presbyterian mission, Penn avenue and Twenty-fourth street.

Remains can be seen in this church from 4 to 7 p. m. today. Funeral services at 8 p. m. in Fourth United Presbyterian church, Montgomery avenue and Arch street, Allegheny.

MEYERS—On Monday, August 1, 1904, at 6:40 a. m., ANNA, wife of Henry Meyers, in her 72d year.

Funeral from her late residence, Little Creek road, Ohio township, on Wednesday at 8:30 a. m. Services at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Pine Creek, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MILHOLLAND—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 6:20 a. m., MARGARET J., widow of Joseph Milholland, aged 75 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, William King, 7053 Susquehanna street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

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MOFFET—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 1:40 a. m., WILLIAM, beloved husband of Sarah A. Moffet (nee Glover).

Funeral from his late residence, No. 87 Merrimac street, Mt. Washington, Tuesday, August 2, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

O'BRIEN—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 8:30 a. m., at her home, 355 South Negley avenue, LUCINDA W., wife of Charles A. O'Brien.

Funeral services will be held at the residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SMELTZ—On Monday, August 1, 1904, LEWIS SMELTZ, aged 43 years, of Patten township, near Wilmerding.

Funeral services at his late residence this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited.

WHITE—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 5:30 a. m., MARY IRENE, daughter of J. P. and Regina White (nee Tully), aged 13 months.

Funeral from the parents' residence, 5812 Fairview street, East End, Tuesday, August 2, at 10 a. m. Interment private.

WILKIE—On Sunday, July 31, 1904, at 1 p. m., at Mercy hospital, THOMAS WILKIE, of Marshall township, husband of Mary Ann Wilkie, aged 62 years.

Funeral services at his daughter's residence, Mrs. David E. Owens, Ohio township, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment at Rosedale cemetery.


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# NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

## WHITE WOMAN ATTACKED; IDENTIFIED GUILTY NEGRO

### Her Father Chases Brute, but He Escapes. Traced to Lieth, Pa., by Officers and Captured.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 1.—Mrs. George B. Turney, a respected white woman, was attacked by a negro at her home in Hopwood, shortly before noon today, and Henry Max Warmack of Leith, who says he is only 16 years old, is in jail accused of the crime.

Mrs. Turney says the negro appeared at the house and asked for a drink of water and after a few remarks departed. A half hour later he returned and asked for water and food. After eating he turned as if to go, but Mrs. Turney says that as she walked into the milk house, he rushed in and threatened to kill her if she made an outcry. She screamed but the negro overpowered her.

The screams attracted the attention of W. B. Hamilton, father of Mrs. Turney, and he chased the negro three miles to Lickdown, but lost track of him in the suburbs. The officers traced the fugitive to Leith and captured him. Mrs. Turney identified the negro at the hearing before Justice John Boyle and he was bound over to court. The negro had nothing to say.

### Goes After Robber Who Confesses.

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Chief of Police Edward Schlitz left today for Huntingdon, Pa., with a warrant for the arrest of Henry Bowers, aged 24, who has been arrested for vagrancy in that place. Bowers confesses to having entered the house of Alexander Will, at Saxonburg, Butler county, last year and having stolen three diamond rings, a gold watch and an overcoat.

### Church Debt Is Wiped Out.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—It was announced from the pulpit of the First Methodist Episcopal church at the services yesterday that on Saturday the last of the $10,000 debt had been wiped out.

## Greensburg's Fire Marshal Dies; Well-Known Throughout State

Photo by Keugh.
John F. Mitinger.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—John Francis Mitinger, a prominent business man and one of the best-known volunteer firemen of Pennsylvania, died at his home in West Third street at 7:30 o'clock this morning. He had been ill for over three months with Bright's disease. He was born in Mt. Pleasant township, this county, 52 years ago. When 28 years old he embarked in business, establishing a bakery and confectionery. He was successful as a business man and was one of Greensburg's richest men. Mr. Mitinger was a stockholder in the Westmoreland National bank, the Greensburg Building and Loan Association and was the owner of valuable realty.

Mr. Mitinger was best known, however, as a volunteer fireman. He was a guiding spirit in the organization of the local department and for three terms was chief marshal, being elected as a mark of honor to the position on last Monday. In 1898 he was chosen president of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's association, and at the Philadelphia convention in 1900 was elected to the presidency of the Pennsylvania Firemen's association. He attended every convention held by both associations in recent years. He was an active member of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Deceased is survived by four brothers and one sister: Charles Mitingerof Wilkinsburg and James, Williams L., Dr. Joseph and Miss Lizzie Mitinger of Greensburg. The funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon.

### Buys Interest in Newspaper.

BEDFORD, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—S. A. Van Orme: of Wilmington, Del., formerly of Schellsburg, Pa., purchased today a half interest in the Bedford Gazette, the oldest newspaper in Bedford county, and the only Democratic paper in the county. The price was $5,000.

### Woman Has Her Grave Dug.

FINDLAY, O., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. Josiah Snavely, a pioneer resident of Monroe township, near Bluffton, has had her grave dug in the Zion cemetery. Mrs. Snavely is 80 years old and says she expects death at any moment. She is worth nearly $50,000 and has no heirs.

## WELLSVILLE CITY BUILDING MAY BE SOLD FOR DEBT

### East Liverpool Firm of Contractors Holds Claim Against the Ohio Town and Attaches Structure.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WELLSVILLE, O., Aug. 1.—Unless the city raises $3,500 and pays a bill of that amount within the next 30 days, the city hall will be sold by the sheriff.

It has been attached by Rinehart Bros., East Liverpool contractors, for the amount named, and an appraisement on the property fixes its value at $24,000.

Rinehart Bros. did a large amount of work on the streets of the city, but claims aggregating more than $3,500, over which there was a dispute, were not settled. Recently the firm got judgment for the amount, but the city council failed to provide for its payment and the contractors, weary of waiting, at last decided on summary action.

### Change of Venue Taken.

KITTANNING, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—By a change of venue the case of B. M. Lindsay, doing business as the Lindsay Contracting Company, against the county of Westmoreland, has been transferred to thhe courts of Armstrong county for trial. The plaintiff sues for $10,722.92, alleged to be due for extra work on the new court house at Greensburg. The Lindsay Construction Company had a contract for the excavation and masonry at $27,985. The company says extra work was done.

### Waiter Shoots Wife; Kills Himself.

EASTON, PA., Aug. 1.—Edward Ritter, a waiter in an Easton restaurant, today shot and mortally wounded his wife and then killed himself, while on a Lehigh Valley train at Lehighton. The couple had been separated for some time, the woman having eloped with another man taking all of Ritter's money and disposing of their furniture.

## EX-GOV. PATTISON HAD FINE CAREER

### Governor of the State Two Terms and Mentioned for the Presidency.

### STORY OF HIS USEFUL LIFE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 1.

Robert Emory Pattison, who died at his home at Overbrook, was born December 8, 1850, in Quantico, Somerset county, Maryland, and was the son of the late Rev. Dr. Robert H. Pattison, a Methodist Episcopal minister, who had married Catherine Priscilla Woolford, daughter of Dr. Thomas Woolford of Cambridge, Md. The elder Pattison was for many years grand chaplain of the grand lodge of Masons in Pennsylvania and devoted much time to writing a work on Masonry.

When Robert was 6 years old his father was assigned to Asbury chapel, in West Philadelphia, and the family resided almost continuously thereafter in Philadelphia until 1875, when the father died. Young Robert was educated in the common schools. He graduated from the Central High school in 1870.

In his earlier days he aspired to a military training at West Point. He was, however, prevailed upon to abandon his military ambitions and at the suggestion of his parents he concluded to study law. He was registered as a student with Lewis C. Cassidy, and in 1872 he was admitted to the bar. He opened his first office in partnership with a fellow student in Cassidy's office, the firm being known as Pattison & Kennedy, the latter being a member of the state senate and known as the "boy senator," and located in Walnut street, near Seventh. Later on he opened an office alone in Sixth street, below Walnut, and some time after that he formed a second partnership, the firm being known as Pattison & Cochran.

### Studied Law and Entered Politics.

Robert E. Pattison's connection with politics may be said to have dated from the time he became enrolled as a law student. At the time he was engaged with his law books the old Reform association was organized, and in its meetings and plans young Pattison was an enthusiastic co-operator. His ability as a stump speaker was at once recognized and by 1876 he had made so good an impression among his political co-workers that he was mentioned prominently for the Democratic nomination for clerk of the quarter sessions court. He withdrew from the contest, however, before the nominating convention was held. In 1877 he was presented by the Philadelphia delegation to the Democratic state convention as a candidate for auditor general, but William P. Schell received the nomination. It was in that year that he was nominated for controller of the city of Philadelphia. It was that year that marked the beginning of Pattison's rise in public life. That year marked the turn of his political fortunes.

In the campaign for city controller he was pitted against James W. Sayre. A spirited contest was waged and Pattison was elected, the vote being, Pattison, 54,706; Sayre, 52,744.

### A Controller Who Controlled.

His first move was to announce that he held that the office of controller was not simply a clerical one, but judicial in its functions, and that the controller's decisions in passing on warrants could be appealed from directly to the supreme court.

He conducted the affairs of the controller's office in a manner that paved the way for his re-election in November, 1880, defeating E. Harper Jeffries, the Republican nominee, by a majority of 13,503. In the same year James A. Garfield carried the city for president over Gen. Hancock by a majority of 20,883.

It was while Pattison was serving his second term as city controller that he was first nominated by the Democrats of Pennsylvania for governor. The Democratic state convention was held in Harrisburg on June 28, 1882. He was opposed for the nomination by powerful influences in his party. His opponent was the Hon. James H. Hopkins, whom he defeated by 2½ votes. He was, however, finally nominated largely on his record as controller. Following his nomination he wrote out a brief letter of acceptance and then remained quietly at work in Philadelphia until his campaign managers were ready for him to make a tour of the state. In that tour he addressed the voters of the several counties, arguing that a change was needed to save the state from corruption. Factional differences in the Republican party lent much encouragement to the Democrats. The campaign was a memorable one. Gen. James A. Beaver was the Republican candidate. John Stewart was a candidate on an independent Republican ticket. Thomas A. Armstrong was the candidate of the Labor party and Alfred C. Pettitt was the choice of the Prohibitionists. The strife in the Republican party made possible the election of Pattison. The official poll was: Pattison, 355,791; Beaver, 315,580; Stewart, 43,743; Armstrong, 22,896; Pettitt, 5,196.

At the expiration of his term Gov. Pattison returned to Philadelphia to resume the practice of law. It was not long, however, until President Cleveland appointed him to the Pacific railway investigation committee. He served as chairman of the committee, and at the close of his labors was elected president of the Chestnut Street Bank and Trust Company of this city.

In 1890 he was again nominated by the Democrats for governor, the convention being held at Scranton. This time he was opposed by William A. Wallace, ex-United States senator. For a second time he was a gubernatorial candidate when factionalism had divided the Republican party in Pennsylvania. George W. Delamater was the nominee of the Republican party. He had been named against the wishes and the advice of many influential and well-meaning Republicans throughout the state. The campaign was a desperate one and resulted finally in Pattison's election. Upon his return to Philadelphia after his second term as governor Pattison was nominated by the Democrats of this city for mayor. Republican majorities in Philadelphia had, however, been steadily growing and Pattison was easily defeated by Charles F. Warwick, the Republican candidate, the vote being: Warwick, 138,122; Pattison, 76,803.

That was in February, 1895, and from that year until the time of his death Pattison continued to be a central figure in the Democratic politics of Philadelphia and in the state.

### Strong With Country Democrats.

When the county Democrats several years ago were demanding a reorganization of the Philadelphia Democracy Pattison was made chairman of the Democratic city committee. Pattison was at all times strongest with the country Democrats, and his selection as city chairman in Philadelphia tided over a storm that had been brewing for months. But he was not to hold the position of city chairman long. In the famous battle for the office of district attorney in this city in 1901, Pattison broke with the Democratic city organization and resigned as its chairman because the organization leaders insisted upon nominating a straight Democratic ticket and refused to co-operate with a fusion movement headed by independent Republicans. In 1902 Pattison again came to the front as a candidate for governor. He did not have the support of his home delegation, but his strength in the country districts was enough to give him the nomination for governor at the Democratic state convention held at Erie. He opposed Samuel W. Pennypacker, the Republican nominee, and was defeated by a decisive majority, the vote being: Pennypacker, 592,867; Pattison, 486,457.

In 1896 Mr. Pattison was prominently mentioned as a possibility for the Democratic nomination for president. In 1900 he was mentioned as a possible running mate for William Jennings Bryan. At the recent Democratic national convention held at St. Louis he was again mentioned, first for presidential nomination and then for the nomination for vice president. He attended the convention as one of Pennsylvania's four delegates-at-large. He received a flattering tribute at the hands of Mr. Bryan in the convention.

### STORY OF HIS USEFUL LIFE

Mr. Pattison was a man of sterling honesty and a man who performed important service for his party, his state and his country. Having once made up his mind as to what was right he was not to be swevered from it. His devotion to his friends, too, I think, was one of his pronounced characteristics.

I think the influence of Lewis C. Cassidy was responsible for Mr. Pattison entering politics. He was a law student in Mr. Cassidy's office, and the latter seemed to inspire everybody in contact with him with a desire for politics.

County Commissioner Clark said:

I greatly deplore the death of Mr. Pattison. He will be sadly missed in the councils of the Democratic party. I have no doubt that the hard work he performed as a member of the resolutions committee at the national convention hastened his death.

Ex-Gov. W. A. Stone said:

I heard of the death of Robert E. Pattison with extreme regret. He was a man for whom I entertained the greatest respect. Having known him since his first candidacy for governor in 1882, our friendship became distinct and close, leaving our any differences in political opinions. Gov. Pattison was a man who commanded respect from all classes and parties. His unaffected honesty, integrity, kindness and political acumen marked him as a man among men and earned for him the good will and support of a large following. His death is a matter for regret throughout the commonwealth, for Pennsylvania has lost a good son and an able political leader.

## PITTSBURGHERS PAY TRIBUTES TO PATTISON

### Friends in This City Give Their Estimates of the Worth of the Dead Governor.

Col. J. M. Guffey, W. S. Guffey, Controller Larkin, W. J. Brennen, Commissioner Clark and many other Pittsburgh Democrats will attend the funeral of ex-Gov. Pattison. The announcement of his death came as a great shock to his friends here. None of them knew that he was dangerously ill. Col. Guffey said:

The death of ex-Gov. Pattison comes to me as a distinct shock, and with a deep sense of personal loss. To know him was to honor and respect him. My personal and political relations with him for many years past were of the most confidential and cordial nature. He was an example in life, to old and young, in or out of party council, and his influence was felt wherever or whenever his presence was manifest.

His last political work, as a member of the committee on resolutions, at the St. Louis convention, was greatly appreciated and highly commended by all the members of that committee. Notwithstanding the long and arduous session of the committee he never left the post of duty, and his work there was a fitting close to a life distinguished life spent for the success of his party and the people of his state. In his death Pennsylvania loses her greatest son and the country a noble citizen.

Controller Larkin said:

In the death of ex-Gov. Pattison this state has lost one of its ables and purest men, and the Democratic party has suffered a loss difficult of measure. In private, as in public life, his character was unassailable; his mind always engaged in something of an elevating nature, something to better those about him, and ameliorate conditions where the trend was downward. Besides he was a most loyable man, kind, courteous, considerate, gentle and refined as a woman; his life was an open book.

I loved him as I did a brother, and during his two terms as governor, I spent all the time with him I could spare at his home and the state office. With his family, or abroad, in his office or home, he was the same kind-hearted, broad-minded, zealous advocate of whatever seemed to promise the greatest good.

Notable, able and good, the world was the better of his having lived in it, and those who knew him best most sincerely mourn his untimely taking off.

W. S. Guffey said:

I am deeply grieved at the death of this great man, for he was my personal friend, and an ideal statesman who engaged in politics not for self-gain, but for the good of his party and the whole people. He was entirely aside from his political convictions, he was distinctively a man of the plain people, positive in his opinions, and ever anxious for the wellbeing of the masses. He was conscientious to a fault and his home life was a pleasant one. However occupied at political conventions or in regular business channels he always took time to address a note, a letter or message to the loved ones at home.

His death is a personal shock to me and a public loss to the state and nation. He died in the midst of life at a time when maturity of development and experience gave him a prestige which, had he lived, would have contributed to the public's good. He died when at his best; after he had become a forceful figure of national importance when engaged in a supreme effort for his party and country. Truly, he was one of the greatest men of the party and country. I am constrained to use, knowing him as I do, the words of the poet, Joe, "The elements were so mixed in him that Nature might stand up and say to all the world, This was a man."

W. J. Brennen said:

## FOREIGNER WITH KNIFE RAN AMUCK IN STATION

### Wounded Two People in His Wild Frenzy and Was Beaten Into Subjection.

S. J. Matter of Peters Creek created consternation at the Union station yesterday by running amuck with a knife and cutting and slashing at persons surrounding him in the waiting room. He wounded two and cut the coat of Policeman John Dunlop of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Matter had been staying in Greensburg and yesterday he came to Pittsburgh with a friend. They quarreled as they were passing from the trainshed and Matter made a slash at his friend, cutting him slightly on the neck. Hugh Maloy, a gateman, who tried to seize Matter, was cut on the thumb to the bone. Then Matter, apparently seized with frenzy, started through the waiting room and tried to cut several persons, while women and children ran screaming from him.

Policeman Dunlop ran up and Matter made a lunge at him, cutting a six-inch rent in his coat. Dunlop threw him down and beat him, trying to bring him under subjection, but it was not until a mill worker grasped Matter's wrist with a pair of tongs that the infuriated man dropped the knife and gave in.

Matter was taken to the Central police station. Dr. A. E. McCandless inspected him and ordered him taken to the West Penn hospital, where the wounds he had received in the scuffle with Dunlop were dressed. His violence subsided after he got into the hospital.

## WANTS FOODSTUFFS EXCLUDED FROM CONTRABAND LIST

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Answering a question propounded to the government, the undersecretary of foreign affairs, Earl Percy, said in the house of commons today that Foreign Secretary Lansdowne had instructed Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador at St. Petersburg, to protest to Russia the inclusion of foodstuffs in the list of articles declared contraband. With regard to cotton it is claimed that it should only be treated as contraband when destined for the manufacture of explosives.

### Shutter Falls on Woman.

While leaning from a window last night Mrs. Mary Hutchinson, who lives on the first floor of the house at 1014 Sarah street, South Side, had several ribs fractured from being struck by a shutter. Mrs. Nancy Clark occupies the second floor of the house and before retiring attempted to close the shutter, when it fell.

### Alleged to Be Highwayman.

Policemen Morgan and Callen were near Washington street yesterday when a man pointed out a pedestrian and said the other had knocked him down on the Grant boulevard on the night of June 22 and stolen $80. He said his name was Thomas Gottlieb. The alleged highwayman gave the name of Clarence Wood. Both were arrested as suspicious persons.

## Used Scalding Hot Soup as a Weapon

As the result of being drenched with scalding soup at his home in McKeesport yesterday afternoon, Michael Calko, a boarding house keeper, is in the McKeesport hospital with injuries that may prove fatal. Antony Solopiki and his brother Michael, two boarders at Calko's house, are in the police station to await the result of the man's injuries. It is understood that the three had a dispute about a board bill and that Anthony, who was also burned on the arm by the soup, threw the liquid at Calko.

## LITTLE GIRL RESCUED TWO SISTERS FROM FIRE

### Made a Second Trip to Take Infant from a Burning Building.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Rose Goldberg, 12 years old, saved her baby sister, Sarah, 9 months old, and another sister, Ray, 11 years old, from suffocation, in a fire which today gutted the apartments of the family on the third floor of 139 Hester street. The baby and the younger sister were asleep in the rear bedroom and Rose was preparing breakfast in the kitchen, when the fire started from some unknown cause in the front room.

It was past stopping when Rose discovered it, roused Ray and ran with her to the stairway and told her to hurry to the street. Rose hurried back, and, picking up the baby, carried it down the three flights.

Mrs. Goldberg, who was in Seward park, saw the fire and ran back to her home, frenzied with anxiety, supposing that her children were perishing. She was relieved to find Rose and Sister Rose and the other two safe outside.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

## ALL SIGNED PETITION.

### Residents of Morningside District Hold Another Indignation Meeting for Improvements.

Residents of the Morningside district met again last night and completed arrangements to demand improvements. The committee having in charge the petition reported that a large number of signers had been obtained. Among these are all the residents of the district, a number of persons who are interested in the section and several downtown business houses. The latter have found that the dangerous condition of the Morningside thoroughfares is detrimental to the delivery of goods.

At present the aim of the organization is to obtain the improvement of Morningside avenue, which is the widest thoroughfare and the only outlet the district has on the north. Added to the complaints that have been filed already is that of the undertakers, who pronounce the Morningside road to be in such a dangerous condition that it would not be advisable to attempt to get hearses and carriages over it.

Titus Berger, a non-resident of the ward, attended last night's meeting, and with L. Vilsack and other large property owners in the ward, was placed on the committee which will call on Director Ingelow and present the needs of the district.

## MUSIC FOR ALLEGHENY.

### Sacred Concerts Each Sunday Evening at Riverview in Addition to Mid-week Entertainments.

Director McIlvain of Allegheny is going to compensate the public for the delay in starting the summer season of band concerts by giving three free concerts a week for nine weeks. In addition to the Tuesday and Friday night entertainments, sacred concerts will be given each Sunday evening in Riverview park. The first of these is to be given August 16. This will complete the plans arranged by Director McIlvain, and explains the delay in commencing the concerts this summer. Heretofore the semi-weekly band concert season was inaugurated in June and continued for about 10 weeks. The season this year will advance further into the fall and three concerts instead of two will be given each week.

The first of the regular mid-week concerts to be held down town will be given tonight in the pavilion in West park. The American Military band will appear at Riverview park on Friday night.

### Pittsburghers at the Seashore.

Mrs. George H. Albertson of Stanton avenue, accompanied by her son, William Charles Albertson, will leave on Monday evening for Atlantic City where they have taken apartments at the Marlborough for August. Miss Ethel Deardorff, of Dayton, is expected in Pittsburgh early next week to be the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. Albertson's daughter, Mrs. John Ross Lyons, in Stanton avenue. Wilbert Albertson will leave tomorrow at noon for the seashore, and among other Pittsburghers leaving at the same time will be Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Steffner of Braddock avenue, and Mrs. George Wittmer, of Hays street.

### South Side Policemen Win.

By a score of 25 to 2 the baseball team of Central station went down to defeat yesterday morning before the team of the South Side police station. The game was played on the Denny grounds in the West End and was witnessed by about 1,500 people.

The battery for the South Side cops was Curley and Freeborn, and Central station was represented by Robinson and Kelly.

### Policeman Suspected the Boys.

Policeman John C. Graw saw James Bulger and a boy called "Texas" emerge from the dark passageway between the market stands in the Diamond at 2 a. m. on Sunday. Ten minutes later George Washington of Ceraopolis came out. He said he had been asleep and somebody had robbed him of a watch and $5 in money. Last evening Graw saw Bulger and "Texas" again and arrested them as suspicious persons.

### Will Go to the Adirondacks.

Mrs. George Reed of Fifth avenue, and her daughter, Miss Margaret Reed, will leave the city on Sunday evening for the Adirondacks to spend the remainder of the summer. Mrs. Reed's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Reed, whose wedding occurred last fall, have gone to housekeeping in Dallas avenue, Homewood.


Closing hour during August 5 P. M. daily, except Saturday.

# KAUFMANN'S

"THE BIG STORE"

On Saturday store closes as usual at 6:30 P. M.

## Just five days more of the sale of the Gusky stock at 25c to 33c on the dollar

AS ANNOUNCED yesterday, the sale of the Gusky stock comes to an end next Saturday night. There are just five days, therefore, in which to avail yourself of the unparalleled money saving opportunities made possible by our purchase of Gusky's entire stock at about 30c on the dollar. Public interest in this sale has never once lagged since the first day. And, judging from the big crowds here yesterday, this will be the busiest week yet. Quite natural that it should be—for instead of allowing the balance of the Gusky goods to peter out slowly, we're going to make a clean sweep of them all this week. With this purpose in mind, we've reduced the prices to a point so ridiculously low as to almost tax human belief. Think of $12 and $15 men's suits for 3.00—$10 and $12 boys' suits for 2.49—$1.50 straw hats for 10c. We repeat, think of it! Seems almost too good to be true, doesn't it? But come and see—you'll find that we've understated rather than overstated matters.

## Sale of the Gusky and Sampter stocks of men's clothing

JUST when assortments of the Gusky clothing were becoming impaired, came our fortunate purchase of M. Sampter Son's & Co. stock. The combination of these two stocks enables us to offer the greatest clothing values on record—and we can assure a pleasing choice and perfect fit to all men. The prices quoted below barely cover the cost of the tailoring—the cloth, trimmings, findings and bindings simply cost you nothing.

## Men's Suits Worth $8, $9 and $10 3.00

Many of Gusky's men's suits which we have been selling for $7, (worth up to $15.00), and suits from the Sampter stock now go at 5.00

Many of Gusky's men's suits which we've been selling for $8.50, (worth up to $20.00), together with suits from the Sampter stock now go at 7.00

Many of Gusky's men's suits which we have been selling for $10, (worth up to $25.00), together with suits from the Sampter stock go now at 8.50

The finest suits handled by Gusky's, together with thousands of Sampter & Son's highest grade garments, all now go at one price, 10.00

**Men's trousers**

All Gusky's men's trousers that sold for $2, now 75c

All Gusky's men's trousers that sold for $2.50 and $3, now 1.00

All Gusky's men's trousers that sold for $3.50 and $4, now 1.48

All Gusky's men's trousers that sold for $6 and $7, now 2.48

All Gusky's men's trousers that sold for $8, $9 and $10, now 3.48

**Full dress apparel**

Gusky's $10 and $12 full dress, tuxedo and Prince Albert coats and vests, 5.00

Gusky's $15 and $20 full dress, tuxedo and Prince Albert coats and vests, 7.00

Gusky's $25 to $30 full dress, tuxedo and Prince Albert coats and vests, 10.00

All cutaway coats and vests from the Gusky stock marked $12 and $15 go in this sale for 2.50

**Winter overcoats**

Gusky's $5 to $7 heavy winter overcoats, now 1.98

Gusky's $8 to $10 heavy winter overcoats, now 3.48

Gusky's $12 to $15 heavy winter overcoats, now 5.00

Gusky's $18 to $20 heavy winter overcoats, now 7.00

Gusky's $22 to $30 heavy winter overcoats, now 8.50

Gusky's $35 to $40 heavy winter overcoats, now 15.00

**Men's top coats and raincoats**

All the top coats and raincoats which Gusky sold for $12 and $15, now go at 5.00

All the topcoats and raincoats which Gusky sold for $20 and $22, now go at 8.50

All the topcoats and raincoats which Gusky sold for $28, $30 and $32, now go at 12.00

Gusky's livery coats—which sold for $18 to $25, now go at 10.00

## Gusky's women's wear at a mere fraction of former prices

WOMEN'S shirtwaist suits—made of lawn and organdie, embroidery and lace trimmed—Gusky's prices $5 and $6, our price, 1.50

Lot of women's summer dresses—white lawn, organdie, net or fancy mull material, lace trimmed, embroidery trimmed or hand-tucked—regular price $18, $20 and $30, here now for 9.50

Women's walking skirts — made of white linen, perfect fitting, side pleated effect—Gusky's price $3.50 and $5, sale price, 1.69

WOMEN'S finest white organdie, linen and lawn shirtwaist suits—inserting, finest swiss embroidery or lace trimmed, newest tucked skirt—Gusky's price $8 to $9, here now at 2.75

Lot of girls' sailor or Russian blouse suits—in washable ginghams, light or dark patterns, in red, blue or tan, all sizes—worth $1 and $1.50 here now for 41c

Misses' and girls' 2-piece wash dresses —shirtwaist or fancy effect, white or colored—sold by Gusky at $10, $12 and $14, our price, 3.50

LOT of women's shirtwaists—in fine white lawn or madras, tucked or trimmed with inserting and embroidery or lace, all sizes, Gusky's price $1 and $1.50, sale price, 45c

Lot of shirtwaists—in fine lawn, organdie, swiss or fancy madras, plain or lace and embroidery trimmed—Gusky's price $1.75 and $2.50, here now at 91c

Big lot of women's fancy waists—suitable for evening or afternoon wear, made of fine lace, silk or fancy French material, mostly silk lined throughout, light or dark colors, including plain black—were $20 to $35, now 10.00

## Removal sale of furniture

**25% off** When a merchant must find a quick market for any commodity, it's obvious that then is the best time for the consumer to buy. And that's just the **50% off**

position in which we now find ourselves. We must sell our entire furniture stock quickly, as we've decided not to move any of our present stock to the new furniture store, shortly to be opened on the 6th floor. Why not turn our loss to your gain? A quarter to a half---That's what you can save by buying your furniture at this sale---and every piece is of the guaranteed kind.

$29.75 quartered oak sideboards, now 18.75
$ 12.75 round extension tables, now 6.98
$ 2.25 saddle seat quartered oak diners, 1.25
$ 12.75 box couches in fancy denims, 7.75
$ 8.98 quartered oak hall racks, now only 4.98
$ 3.98 parlor rockers now reduced to only 2.49
$ 8.00 solid oak chiffoniers, now reduced to 4.50
$36.75 solid brass beds, reduced to only 21.90
$6.00 brass top rod enameled bed, now only 3.98
$100 three-piece bedroom suites, now 69.75
$116.75 five-piece mahogany parlor suite, 59.75
$28.75 mahogany library cases reduced to 18.75

## Timely offerings in glassware and china

Royal fruit jars—an all glass jar—quart size, $1.50 value, dozen, 1.00

Mason jars—quart or pint sizes, porcelain lined caps and rings— 40c doz.

Stoneware beer mugs or flagons—white lined —10 oz. size, 20c, 8 oz. size 15c

Soda or lemonade straws—large size package, 19c

Jelly glasses—with tight fitting tin covers, 1-3 pint size, 18c doz.

Porch jardiniers—ruby and green blended color designs—9 in. size 87c, 8 in. size, 48c, 7 in. size, 29c

Cut glass salt or pepper shakers—sterling silver tops, 25c

Decorated toilet sets—with slop jar, gold tracings and floral sprays—real $7.50 value 4.98

Water sets—colored and crystal glass water sets, consisting of large jug and 6 tumblers, decorated to match and nickel plated tray—$1.25 values at 87c

Decorated porcelain dinner sets—101 pieces, hand decorated floral sprays and rich gold embellishments—$15 values at per set 9.87

Decorated underglazed blue and green porcelain dinner sets of 100 pieces new shapes and designs—$10 value, at, per set, 6.87

Porch cuspidors—in pretty mottled brown, blue and green effects, 35c value at 19c

Imported China berry or fruit sets—of bowl and 6 saucers, prettily decorated—worth $1.25, at, per set, 75c

English porcelain salad or sauce bowls—underglazed decorations—real value 20c, go at, each, 10c

Patent stopper bottles, for root beer and "pop," quart size, dozen, 85c; pint size, dozen, 65c

Beer steins—dark blue and gray stoneware, neatly embossed with German silver lid—at only 69

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# THE PIRATES' FAREWELL TO THEIR FRIENDS WAS VERY FITTING

## COLTS TREATED TO A SHUTOUT

Case's Pitching and Pirates' Clever Play Proved Strong Bar Against Run Getting.

SOME FINE FIELDING DONE

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh | 4—Chicago | | 0 |
| New York | Rain. | Philadelphia | |
| Brooklyn | Rain. | Boston | |
| Cincinnati | No Game. | St. Louis | |

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

| | W. | L. | Pct. | | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 62 | 24 | .721 | St. Louis | 47 | 41 | .534 |
| Chicago | 53 | 34 | .609 | Boston | 43 | 47 | .478 |
| Cincinnati | 52 | 34 | .605 | Brooklyn | 32 | 59 | .352 |
| Pittsburgh | 50 | 36 | .581 | Philadelphia | 22 | 63 | .259 |

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.

The Pirates' farewell to their friends prior to their final eastern trip of the season was a fitting one, as they left behind a record that is bound to inspire confidence in the team's future. The farewell was a dose of whitewash to the Chicago club which 3,840 spectators took particular delight in watching, and while the visitors were going through the nine innings without being able to get a tally across the plate, the locals, by timely batting and clever base running managed to score up a quartet of runs, making the final score 4 to 0 in their favor.

Tommy Leach and his players got back from Cincinnati early yesterday morning a little the worse for wear in the crippling of Jimmy Sebring, but they brought along a first-class substitute in Ernest Diehl, the Cincinnati lad, who plays baseball for the fun it affords him, and who has pledged himself to help the Pirates out when the emergency requires it. Diehl was in right field, and while he did not have a lot to do, yet he showed that he knows the game, is very fast and is just the man to fill in for a regular. At bat he stands right up to the plate and is not afraid of the ball, and in the game yesterday and managed to hit the ball every time he was up.

Yesterday's game, so far as the Pirates were concerned, was well played, the team being on its mettle with a desire to win the game and get as close as possible to the Cincinnati team, and third place in the pennant race. The players defied in faultless style and ran the bases in a manner that upset the calculations of Catcher Case, who was called on to that score that they had him throwing the ball all about the field. The leaders in this line were Leach, Wagner and Beaumont, each of whom took all kinds of liberties on the bases with good results.

This fast work of the Pirates fairly took the breath away from the Colts, and the result was errors made in efforts to make fast plays so as to head off the men on the bases. Case was called on to pick off men on the home team, and he was in fine form, having splendid control of the ball, which is shown by the fact that he did not give a single base on balls. The only Chicago player who could do anything with the Pirates' delivery was Case, who, out of four times at bat made four hits, three singles and a three-bagger. It was when runners were on the bases that Case was at his best, and kept putting the ball over the plate, forcing the Pirates to hit at his delivery, and the players back of him to do their share, a confidence that was well placed.

"Buttons" Briggs also pitched a good game, but the Pirates managed to get their hits when they did the most good, and this, with clever base running and blunders on the part of the Colts, produced the runs necessary to win the game. There was some clever fielding on both sides, the best bit of work being done by Beaumont, who made a fine stop with the left field bleachers in the third inning and gathered in Briggs' foul fly. This is one of the plays that Leach alone can make, and it was followed by a great outburst of cheers from the Pittsburg visitors who were injured in getting into second base in the sixth inning and was forced to leave the game, Pitcher Wicker taking his place.

Tommy Leach scored the Pirates' first run in the third inning when he singled to middle field, went all the way to third on Beaumont's infield single, and scored on Chance's wild throw in an effort to head him off at third. Beaumont scored a run by the same play in the third and scored on a wild throw by O'Neil. Two more runs were scored in the fourth, which Beaumont opened with a fine drive to right for three bases. This hit should only have been a single, but the ball got away from field the ball slipped and fell, the ball rolling to the fence. Beaumont scored on Wagner's single to middle field. Hans at once stole second, went to third on a wild throw by Kling, and scored on a fly to the pitcher, who he reached by reason of slow fielding on the part of the Colts.

The visitors had chances to score, but fine pitching and clever fielding by the Pirates kept the tallies from getting in. For instance, Slagle, the first batter up in the opening inning, drove the ball to right for three bases, but he never got home, as Tommy Leach made a clever play when he gathered in Casey's grounder and run Slagle down before he could reach the home plate. There were other fine fielding displays by the Pirates. The score:

| Pittsburgh. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Chicago. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leach, 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | Slagle, l | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Beaum't, m | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 0 | Casey, 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Kruger, l | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Chance, 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Wagner, s | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0 | McCarty, m | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ritchey, 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Dahlen, s | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Clarke, r | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Williams, 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Ritchey, c | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | Wicker, r | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Case, p | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Tinker, s | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Barry, r-2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Briggs, p | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Kling, c | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 4 | 11 | *26 | 16 | 0 | Totals | 0 | 11 | 24 | 8 | 4 |

*Single hit by batted ball.
Kling batted for Briggs in ninth.

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | — | 4 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

Two-base hits—Chance, Tinker. Three-base hits—Beaumont, Slagle. Stolen bases—Leach, Beaumont, Bransfield, Diehl, Williams. Double plays—Wagner and Bransfield; Ritchey, Wagner and Bransfield; Ritchey, Barry and Chance. First base on balls—Off Briggs 2, Diehl, Case. Hit by pitched ball—Chance. Struck out—By Briggs 4 (Leach, Kruger 2, Wagner.) Time—1:50. Umpire—Emslie.

### Local Amateur Games.

On Bluhm grounds—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bluhm Midgets | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Wampum Jr. | 14 | 3 | 0 |

Batteries—Jones and Schmidt; Smythe, Fisher and Moran.

On Standard grounds—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Standard | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Perry A. C. | 1 | 0 | 0 |

At Homewood—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Homewood J. A. C. | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Geneva A. C. | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Batteries—Jeffries, Haugh and Johnson; Page, Carter and Leonard.

At Glenwood—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Library A. C. | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Union Stars | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Batteries—J. and M. Senay; Elary, Evans and Cunningham.

The Company G second team beat the Oakland Reserves last evening at Oakland, 7 to 4. Hart, for Company C, and Brown, for Oakland, were the pitchers. Helber of Company G led in the hitting, having three safe ones.

Mckinley M. M., 26; Greenfield Stars, 3.
Perfect A. C., 4; Juniors, 20; Midget ff., 11.
Sunday A. C., 13; Orioles, 12.
Sunday A. C., 11; Penn Club, 9.

### Marienville Plays Good Ball.

CLARION, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—The Marienville ball team defeated the Tuscas of this place beautiful afternoon 9 to 2. The game was close until the ninth when the visitors scored five runs, two of which were home runs by Gates and Graybill. Score.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Marienville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | —9 | 12 | 0 |
| Tuscas | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 | 7 | 5 |

Batteries—Reyner and Graybill; Wensel and Hagan.

### Did You Ever Listen to the Sad Sea Waves?

Take advantage of the Pennsylvania Road 10-day excursion on August 4. Fare, $10 in coaches, or $12 in Pullman cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Book Pittsburgh to Atlantic City without change, leaving 8:00 a. m. Evening trains at 4:50, 9:00 and 10:30 o'clock; the 10:00 p. m. with sleepers only.

## PIRATES START EAST FILLED WITH CONFIDENCE

Club Owner and Team Leader Expect to Return in Second Place and Then Win the Pennant.

"If we have no further misfortune, the team will come home from the east in second place, and by the first of September will be in first place. It's a fight to the finish with us for the fourth pennant, and there will be no let up."—President Dreyfuss.

"Nothing but first place will satisfy me, and I want to bring the team back home in that position. I know it will be a hard task, but we are out to win every game and we will all work for a clean sweep on the road. We may lose one game to the Giants, but I am not so sure about that."—Acting Manager and Captain Tommy Leach.

That is a sample of the confidence displayed by the Pirates as they boarded the 10 o'clock train for New York last night. The entire membership was on hand with the exception of Clarke, Phillippe and Phelps, who are still on the hospital list. It is expected that Phillippe and Phelps will join the team ready for work before the end of the trip, but not so with Clarke, who is still in bed and liable to remain there for another week. Some of the players called on their captain before starting east and Clarke actually cried at not being able to go along. He gave the players a send talking to, though, and instilled in them a spirit of confidence which was manifest when they boarded the train.

The members of the Chicago team were also at the station and went east to open up their eastern trip with the Giants. The Pirates had a lot of fun with the Colts over yesterday's defeat and informed Captain Frank Chance and the rest of the Colts that the ball they played yesterday was the same article they intend putting up in the east, and it would oust them out of second place. There was also a few things said about the world's trip fixed up between the New York and Chicago teams and one of the Pirates remarked something about the counting of chickens before they were hatched. All of this was in a good-natured way, but it does not relished any too well by the Chicago team with the exception of Johnny McCarthy, an old-time Pirate, who wished the team all kinds of success and the fourth pennant for the wind-up.

President Dreyfuss has not yet received word that his offer for Infielder McBride of the St. Joe Western league team has been accepted, but he has reason to believe that it will be and that the deal will be closed in a short month. The offer was made two days ago and the price was satisfactory, but the Pittsburgh magnate stipulated that the player must report early and nothing has been heard from the St. Joe club since that condition was named. President Dreyfuss desires to have the new man report before Emy Diehl has to go back to his business at Cincinnati.

McBride is a young player of Betsy Flaherty played with him in 1902, his first year out, in the American association, and says that even then McBride showed promise. He batted only .270 that season, but last year did .285, and this season has done a great deal better, showing a steady improvement. As a second baseman last year he averaged nearly seven chances a game—a remarkably high number. The Pittsburgh club has no fault to find with outfielder in the west, as has been reported.

Deacon Phillippe met President Dreyfuss at the office of the club last night and reported that he hoped to join the team in the east. He said that as soon as the specialists gave him treatment on his eye he will board the first train for the east. Phelps will exercise here for a few days and will be prepared to go east whenever he is needed.

## TEMPLE WILL MAKE TRIP.

Pittsburgher to Join the Auto Brigade Speeding to the World's Fair.

ERIE, PA., Aug. 1.—The first car to reach Erie in the run of the American Automobile association, New York and Boston to St. Louis, owned by J. J. Waters, of New York, on a Panhard, reached here at 11:30 o'clock this forenoon, having covered the distance from Buffalo here in three hours and 50 minutes. The second car was the Haynes-Apperson and the third H. L. Pope and Walter Seigler, Twenty-four cars are entered in the run, and W. C. Temple of Pittsburgh is expected to join here tonight. If not he will join at Cleveland.

Six entries were received today that will join at Cleveland and four more are expected. Barney Oldfield, the champion track chauffeur, is making the run from Buffalo to Cleveland, and E. T. Fetch, who covered the Rockies on a Packard car, joined the tour here. He is on a tour around the world. It was expected all the cars would be in at 2 this afternoon, but it was 7 o'clock before the last two, R. P. Scott and the Royal Automobile Company car, arrived.

Although no racing is allowed, a little is indulged into their home towns. Tomorrow the White cars will be allowed to go into Cleveland ahead of all others, and next day the Pope-Toledo machine will reach Toledo first. The following is a list of the cars here tonight: No. 1—Harlan W. Whipple, Andover, Mass., president of the Automobile association, No. 3—C. H. Gillette, New York, secretary American Automobile association and secretary of touring committee; No. 4—Lord Paget, Rose building, Cleveland, Ohio, director of American Automobile association, and president of National Association of Automobile Manufacturers, and member of Cleveland Automobile club.

## LOST VALUABLE HORSE.

Bumble Bee of the Whitney Stables Had to Be Killed.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Herman B. Duryea—or, possibly, more correctly speaking, H. P. Whitney—lost one of the best 2-year-olds in his stable this morning when Bumble Bee was destroyed after breaking her shoulder.

A small boy named Johnson was exercising the filly at Horse Haven, when she bolted through the fence and, galloping among the stables, struck the corner of one of them, throwing the boy and smashing her own shoulder. Johnson had three of his ribs broken and the filly was in such bad shape that she was destroyed.

### Central League Games.

At Dayton—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dayton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | —11 | 15 | 5 |
| Evansville | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 | 7 | 3 |

Batteries—Johns and Hawkins and Mundhenk; Berryhill and Pearce.

At Marion—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Marion | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | *—7 | 7 | 4 |
| Gd. Rapids | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —6 | 12 | 4 |

Batteries—Armstrong and Shannon; Cobean and Jessup.

At South Bend—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| South Bend | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | —6 | 10 | 2 |
| Fort Wayne | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | —7 | 14 | 1 |

Batteries—Ferguson and Tieman; Aiberts and Ostedieck.

At Wheeling—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheeling | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | * | —5 | 9 | 2 |
| Terre Haute | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —1 | 2 | 2 |

Batteries—Robertson and Schriver; Scott and Street.

### Altoona Beats Penn Park.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 1.—Altoona experienced little difficulty in finding Foreman's curves when hits were needed this afternoon. Score:

| Altoona. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | York. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fisher 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | Eustace 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hinlen 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | Clegg r | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Iott r | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Bagley l | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis l | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Owens s | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Carson s | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 | Logan 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Miller 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | Butler 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Rising m | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Ball m | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Zalusky c | 1 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 0 | Smith c | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| Veil p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | Foreman p | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Totals | 4 | 6 | 27 | 14 | 2 | Totals | 3 | 4 | 24 | 8 | 4 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Altoona | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | — | 4 |
| York | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 1 |

Two-base hits—Carson. Sacrifice hits—Bagley. Stolen base—Rustice. Bases on balls—Off Veil 4, off Foreman 2. Struck out—By Veil 7, by Foreman, 8. Passed ball—Smith. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—Murray.

At Lebanon—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | * | —7 | 9 | 5 |
| Wilmington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 | 5 | 4 |

Batteries—Shreiber and Brennan; Everson and Rementer. Umpire—Graham.

At Harrisburg—

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Williamsport | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 | 2 | 3 |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | * | —1 | 2 | 5 |

Batteries—Evans and Donovan; Davis and Agnew. Umpire—Connors.

### Elks to Play for Money.

The team of the Braddock Elks and the McKeesport Elks will play this afternoon at Edgar Thompson park, Braddock for $100 a side. The Braddock Elks have yet to win their first game this season in the Elks league series. Gumbert will pitch for Braddock.

## CY YOUNG WAS IN FINEST FORM

"The Tuscarawas Rail Splitter" Held Cleveland Safe, While Boston Made Many Runs.

BERNHARD WAS BATTED HARD

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 8—Cleveland | | 0 |
| Chicago | 4—Washington | | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 4—St. Louis | | 0 |
| Detroit | 8—New York | | 6 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

| | W. | L. | Pct. | | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 53 | 33 | .616 | Philadelphia | 47 | 38 | .553 |
| Chicago | 54 | 35 | .607 | St. Louis | 34 | 46 | .425 |
| New York | 50 | 34 | .595 | Detroit | 34 | 50 | .405 |
| Cleveland | 47 | 36 | .566 | Washington | 18 | 65 | .217 |

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 1.—Cleveland could do nothing with Young today and were easily shut out, nine men being struck out. Only three Clevelanders reached first in the first six innings. A throw from left field by Lush, catching Stahl at the plate, was a feature. The work of the Boston infield was very fast. Score:

| Cleveland. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Boston. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Flick r | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Selbach l | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Lush l | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Collins 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Bradley 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | Stahl m | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Lajoie 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 | Freeman r | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hickman | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | Parent s | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Turner s | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | Lachance | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Bay m | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | Ferris 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Bemis c | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Criger c | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bernhard p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | Young p | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 1 | 3 | 27 | 17 | 4 | Totals | 2 | 8 | 11 | 27 | 11 | 2 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 | 3 | 4 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | —8 | 11 | 2 |

Two-base hits—Freeman, Stahl, Chance, Collins. Sacrifice hits—Parent, Freeman, Selbach. Stolen bases—Stahl 2. Double plays—LaJoie and Hickman; Lush and Bemis; Ferris, Parent and LaChance. First base on balls—Off Bernhard, 1. Struck out—By Bernhard, 1; by Young, 1. Time—1:27. Umpire—O'Laughlin. Attendance—3,500.

### Detroit Thumps Griffith.

DETROIT, Aug. 1.—The Detroits signalized their home coming by knocking Griffith out of the box in three innings and hitting Puttmann hard. Donovan was effective until the ninth, when three doubles, two singles and a sacrifice sent him to the bench and Kitson saved the day. McIntire, Coughlin, O'Leary, Lowe and Kesler did star fielding. Attendance, 2,500. Score:

| Detroit. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | New York. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Barrett m | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Doherty 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McIntyre l | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | Keeler r | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Coughlin 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Elberfeld s | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Crawf'd r | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Anderson 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Carr 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | Williams 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Lowe 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | Fultz m | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Drill 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Conroy 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| O'Leary s | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | Kleinow c | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Donovan p | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | McGinley c | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Kitson p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Puttm'n p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| | | | | | | *Gangel | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 5 | 13 | 27 | 12 | 2 | Totals | 5 | 11 | 24 | 14 | 2 |

*Batted for Puttmann in ninth.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | *—5 | | |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5—6 | | |

Hits—Off Griffith 5 in three innings, off Puttmann 8 in five innings; off Donovan 13 in 8 1-3 innings; off Kitson, none in two-thirds of an inning. Two-base hits—Keeler, Ganzel, Anderson, Williams. Sacrifice hit—Coughlin. Stolen bases—Fultz, Anderson, O'Leary, Donovan. Bases on balls—Off Donovan 5, off Griffith 1, off Puttmann 2. Hit by pitcher—By Griffith 1, by Donovan 1. Struck out—By Donovan 2, by Griffith 1. Double plays—Carr and Lowe, O'Leary, Lowe and Carr. Time—2:15. Umpires—Dwyer and King.

### Frank Smith Again Wins.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Chicago celebrated its home-coming today by defeating Washington, 4 to 2. For seven innings it was a pitchers' battle, with honors even, but in the eighth Chicago hit Townsend safely three times and with a sacrifice scored the winning runs. Attendance, 4,850. Score:

| Chicago. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Wash'ton. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jones m | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | O'Neill m | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Green r | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Donovan l | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Callahan l | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Foreman r | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis s | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | *Stahl 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Isbell s | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Hill 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Donohue 1 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 | M'Carth'y 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Dundon 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | Huelsman 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Farrell c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | Clarke c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| M'Fard c | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Towns'nd p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Smith p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Totals | 4 | 7 | 27 | 11 | 1 | Totals | 2 | 4 | 24 | 11 | 1 |

*Single hit by batted ball.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | *—4 | |
| Washington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 | |

Sacrifice hits—Davis, Stahl, Callahan. Stolen bases—Donovan, Hill, Huelman, Callahan, Dundon. Double plays—Tannehill and Davis; Smith (Chicago) to Isbell to Donohue. Base on balls—Off Smith 3, off Townsend 2. Wild pitch—Townsend. Time—1:45. Umpire—Sheridan.

### Browns Can't Hit Bender.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—St. Louis today went down in defeat before the powers of Bender, Philadelphia's Indian pitcher, 4 to 0. Attendance, 1,140. Score:

| St. Louis. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Philadel. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moran 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | Hartsel 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Held'r m | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Flo'ring m | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hemphill r | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Davis 1 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | L. Cross 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Wallace s | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | Seybold r | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hesson 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | Murphy 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| Sudhoff 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | M. Cross s | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Sugden c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | Schreck c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Howell p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Bender p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 0 | 4 | 27 | 17 | 1 | Totals | 4 | 5 | 27 | 15 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 | | |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —4 | | |

Two-base hits—L. Cross, Seybold. Home run—Seybold. Sacrifice hits—Heldrick, Shreck. Double play—M. Cross, Murphy and Davis. Stolen bases—Hartsel, Murphy. Bases on balls—Off Howell 3. Struck out—By Howell 3, by Bender 4. Left on bases—St. Louis 2, Philadelphia 3. Time—1:35. Umpire—Connolly.

### Sharon Wins from Ohio Works.

SHARON, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Sharon defeated the Ohio Works of Youngstown today in an exciting and fast fielding game. Doubles and Dolan both pitched good ball. Crum's batting was the feature. Score:

| Sharon | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Ohio W. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ryan 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | Blount r | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Murphy 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | Maloney m | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kerr 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | Barton s | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Herwig r | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Mack 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Crum m | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Starr 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Gibson c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | Hanford c | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Applebee 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Price 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| M'Lallin s | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | Keller 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Doubles p | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Dolan p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 3 | 6 | 27 | 10 | 2 | Totals | 2 | 6 | 24 | 8 | 1 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sharon | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—3 | |
| Ohio Works | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —2 | |

Three-base hit—Crum. Home run—Crum. Stolen base—Starr. Sacrifice hit—Ryan. Struck out—By Dolan 7, by Doubles 3. Hit by pitched ball—Starr. First base on balls—Off Doubles 2, off Dolan 1. Double play—Hanford and Starr. Time of game—1:35. Umpire—List.

### Eastern League Scores.

At Rochester—Baltimore, 2; Rochester, 3.
At Buffalo—Buffalo, 4; Newark, 2.
At Toronto—First game—Toronto, 4; Jersey City, 3.
Second game—Toronto, 1; Jersey City, 9.
At Montreal—First game—Montreal, 6; Providence, 5.
Second game—Montreal, 3; Providence, 5.

### Cup Challenger Selected.

MONTREAL, Aug. 1.—The yacht "White Bear," belonging to the White Bear club of St. Paul, known as the "Sigma" in the trial races, has been selected as the challenger for the Seawanhaka cup. The Norma will defend the cup.

## WILLIAM C. TEMPLE

Mr. Temple, the well-known local lover of sports left yesterday for Erie in his touring car. He will join the grand tour of automobilists who are enjoying a run to St. Louis. The autoists come from all parts of the United States.

## "SOLDIER" MULLIN BLANKS WAYNESBURG BY 1 TO 0

Visitors Throw Scare Into Homestead in Ninth, but Are Luckily Disposed Of.

Sheriff Koebert's Waynesburg outfit succumbed to the masterly pitching of "Soldier" Mullin yesterday at Homestead, 1 to 0. Mullin, who worked in three games last week, went on the rubber yesterday because he was the only available pitcher Manager Risher had on the ground. Patton, a youngster of newsboy, opposed him. Both twirled fine ball, the Steel town champions hitting Patton in but one inning, while the strain on Mullin did not show until the last round, when the only unsteadiness on his part was apparent.

With one out in the ninth Mullin walked Sellers, and Callahan laid down a pretty bunt, sacrificing Sellers to second. Charlie DeMoss shot a single into right, Sellers going to third and DeMoss to second on the throw in. "Buck" Kromer was next at the bat. The old Interscholastic second baseman has been hitting hard and often and the situation was not any too pleasing for Homestead. Kromer laid his favorite curve ball and drove it on the ground between McClintock and Edmundson. DeMoss, going to third, ran into the hit and was declared out, retiring the side and probably saving the Steel Workers.

Homestead scored the only run in the fourth inning. McCloskey, first up, singled to right and Fohl was hit by a pitched ball. Smith went out, trying to sacrifice, taking three fouls, Harry Tate, however, drove in the first run of the game with a left middle, which Jimmy Cantear broke down. McCloskey being the only runner that scored on the drive.

Cantear and Mullin were the only Waynesburgh players who hit safely to the outfield on Mullin, the other hits registered against him being in the infield. Capt. McCloskey did the best batting for Homestead, Edmundson robbing Williams of a two-bagger by making his line drive in the air, and Ganiear collected a sure three-bagger from Smith's bat, going into deep middle for a fly.

Bill Smith, the Yough Creek southpaw, for Homestead, and Rube Zellers, for Waynesburg, will be the opposing pitchers in today's game. The score:

| H. L. A. C. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | W'n'sburg | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Edm'son 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Ganiear m | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| M'Clsky 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Callahan l | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Fohl r | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Mont'ry 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Smith 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | DeMoss 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Tate m | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Kenney s | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Lindsey 1 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | Monty'y c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| M'Clyk s | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | Kromer 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Brien r | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Williams 1 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Mullen p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Patton p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 1 | 5 | *26 | 11 | 1 | Totals | 0 | 5 | *23 | 10 | 1 |

*DeMoss out, hit with batted ball. †Sm

# BURNING ROME IN FIRE PICTURE

Gorgeous Spectacle Furnished Mid-Summer Entertainment for Big Crowds.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC OPENED

They say that Nero played a fiddle while he watched Rome burning, but it is pretty certain that he witnessed nothing in the great conflagration that resembled modern pyrotechnics. If the crumbling of the walls of the Eternal city presented the gorgeous spectacle that is stimulated in Pain's fireworks it must have been a sorry exemplar that Nero played. The chances are that if the old Roman emperor could have returned to earth and sat in a front seat at Pain's show in Friendship park last night he would have called his chariot and gone straight to his hotel and pulled down the blinds. Fireworks with the lurid and sonorous qualities of dynamite and gunpowder combine to make the burning of Rome a wonderfully realistic spectacle.

Six thousand people saw the exhibition in Friendship park last night. The performance differed but slightly from others of Pain's shows. The many novelties were introduced and the scene offered opportunities for the presentation of fireworks that seemed in perfect harmony with the story of Rome's destruction. The vaudeville bill included some of the best acts ever witnessed in an outdoor performance. The star feature was the artistic posturing of the Gloss Brothers and Demothene and Aristo in remarkable feats of strength in their turn upon the horizontal bars captured the audience. There were the usual dances and acrobatic tricks. There is more than a riddle to furnish the musical diversion in Pain's Rome, and the Second Brigade band made a hit with its program.

Last night the local Elks turned out in force and the portrait of Exalted Ruler J. H. Hall was shown in fire. Tonight the Eagles will have their innings and the fire picture will be that of Robert G. Robinson, grand worthy president of the order.

The scenery is some of the most elaborate ever built for an out-door attraction. The picture of the Capitoline hill is a faithful reproduction of that famous landmark of the Cæsars. The statues and columns belong accurately drawn and faithful to historical description. The same is true of the costumes worn. All the effects are new and the show presents Pain at his best.

No provision for handling the big crowds had been made by the Pittsburgh Railways Company, and in consequence all Penn avenue cars were over-crowded and many were obliged to wait nearly 20 minutes before getting away from the grounds.

### Academy—Imperial Burlesquers.

Torrid weather does not lessen the ardor of the Pittsburgh theatergoer. Two playhouses have broken all records for midsummer opening, and in both the attendance was most encouraging. Two big audiences enjoyed the performance of the Imperial Burlesquers at the Academy of Music yesterday, despite the fact that the majority of those who occupied the front rows sat in their shirt sleeves and fanned themselves with straw hats. The Imperials are under the direct management of Harry Williams, Jr., and the standard of their performance is well known. There is much improvement this year. Good voices are especially in evidence as one of the features which adds to the merit of the company. The costumes are bright and new, and two burlesques are well presented. In the vaudeville are Flossie Coy, who makes a decided hit in her baritone solos; McRae and Wyatt, in an antediluvian sketch that needs improving; Lillian and Lena Washburn in their old-time act; the Musical Bells, Emmonds, Emerson and Emmonds, and George H. Diamond in turns in which they are all familiar. The interior of the Academy has been repainted and redecorated and presents an inviting appearance. The house will be conducted on the same lines as in former years and the bookings show the usual list of entertainers for the season.

### Bijou—Haverley's Minstrels.

Haverley's minstrels and Billy Van make a good hot weather team of amusement producers. At the Bijou yesterday they repeated the success they scored on Saturday night. It is a late day to expound on the laugh-making lingo of Billy Van. Warm weather has no effect on his ungodly humor and people in the audience forgot the discomfort caused by the temperature when they laughed with Billy. The minstrels make a good prelude to a season of melodrama.

## MINSTRELS IN THE PARK.

Marion and Pearl With Their Company at Southern—Marsh at Kennywood.

At Southern park this week is the Marion and Pearl minstrels, headed by Marion and Pearl. There is good singing, and to add to the novelty Minnie Granville is Interlocutor. The end men are Billy Pearl, S. and R. Soraker and Herman Marion. Reeves, juggler, has a clever turn, while the Soraker Brothers do soft and wooden shoe dancing. The Orpheum trio sang.

Kennywood had band concerts by the Homestead Library band. The music was mostly on the popular order. Marsh, the bicyclist, gave two exhibitions of his feat of diving from his machine 40 feet into a tank of water.

## MANAGERS WILL DECIDE THEATRICAL SITUATION

Pittsburghers Will Try to Fix Up Their Differences at Meeting in the East.

The policy of the Alvin theater for the coming season will be decided at a meeting of theatrical managers to be held in New York about August 15. Two courses are said to be open to Manager Harry Davis in agreeing upon the future of the house, and it will either be opened to popular combinations or will remain dark through the season. Among theatrical men the opinion prevails that the theater will be opened for a short season of combinations which cannot command the Nixon's prices.

The New York conference will last several days and all important questions regarding the future of the theatrical business in Pittsburgh will be discussed. Manager Harry Davis and all the syndicate representatives will attend. The Hyde & Behman proposition will not be touched upon until that firm shows its hand. The proprietors of the new Duquesne way playhouse will not be coerced and it is probable that the theater will be opened for burlesque attractions, of which Hyde & Behman have many in control.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

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|---|---|
| George Detrick | Pittsburgh |
| Mary Long | Pittsburgh |
| C. J. Duffy | Allegheny |
| Estelle M. McGoggin | Sheraden |
| Mark A. Kelso | North Star |
| Minnie Cleek | North Star |
| Jones Plunkett | Pittsburgh |
| Gertrude Groves | Pittsburgh |
| John Linkesh | Beadling |
| Marie Corne | Beadling |
| Lawrence W. McClinton | Allegheny |
| Josephine Seibert | Allegheny |
| Claude M. Noss | Coraopolis |
| Carrie B. Smith | Enon Valley |
| Henry J. Schiring | Pittsburgh |
| Helen Walter | Pittsburgh |
| Albert S. Wassel | Pittsburgh |
| Margaret Moore | Pittsburgh |
| Albert D. Reynolds | Pittsburgh |
| Maude McKin | Hawkins |
| John Sendle | Emsworth |
| Margarette Sellitza | Pittsburgh |
| Lydia W. Shey | Pittsburgh |
| Charlotte M. H Terrill | Wheeling |
| George L. McCartney | Carnot |
| Lee Jackson | Shousetown |
| Harry Brown | Allegheny |
| Mary J. Carroll | Pittsburgh |
| John C. Thompson | Pittsburgh |
| May Sawyer | Pittsburgh |
| Joseph Victor | Allegheny |
| Barbara Corus | Allegheny |
| John W. Russell | McKeesport |
| Henrietta B. Baker | Pittsburgh |
| Buchanan C. Wright | Pittsburgh |
| Mary A. McKenzie | Allegheny |

# MEDICAL BOARD IS ON WARPATH

May Annul Charters of Several Fake Schools at Next Meeting.

ATLANTIC CITY IS FILLING UP

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Young's Ocean Pier.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 1.

Purposing to annul the charters of certain inefficient medical colleges, the Pennsylvania state board of medical examiners will hold a meeting next Monday in Haddon hall, this city, to be presided over by Dr. Henry Bates, president. The movement is largely an outgrowth of the results of the examination recently given graduates possessing diplomas from the institutions in question, who desired to practice in Pennsylvania.

Dr. Bates said yesterday that judging from the number of failures made by the graduates this year the work of the colleges under criticism seems chiefly to be to pass incompetent men. He said that in some instances the applicant for registration, on being put through the rigid examination of the board, manifested absolute ignorance of the vital principles of the art of healing. Dr. Bates refused to name any of the colleges about to be placed under the ban, but it is believed that one of them is a Philadelphia institution.

Approximately 48,000 new arrivals were in the resort today, crowding hotel corridors and enjoying the sea breezes. A through train from Buffalo was inaugurated yesterday by the Pennsylvania railroad, the first train arriving last night at 9:20 o'clock. The traffic from Pittsburgh this week is expected to be very heavy.

Pittsburghers who registered at The Gazette bureau on Young's pier today were:

Jean McElroy, Beatrice M. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson, John Jay Weber, Norman King, Mr. William J. McLaughlin, James Ritchie, A. E. Ritchie, Mary Emma McGohan, P. W. Shepherd, Henry Peck Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bradley and William Weiss.

Mrs. Joseph J. Kerling and Miss Iva Kerling of 519 Osceola street are guests at the Deville.

Leon Goldstein is spending the week at the Keystone hotel.

William Haviland and family of the West End, Mr. and Mrs. Means of 3950 Penn avenue and Miss Lucy Bowser of 514 Ross street are at the Albion.

William McBette is at the Tred-Avon.

Anna Maude Kennedy and Mary Kennedy are guests at the Kenilworth inn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hadfield are at the Champlaine.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Lewis of Wilkinsburg are late arrivals at the Elberon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smiley and Miss Hazel K. Smiley are spending a few days at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar A. Gallagher and daughters of Allegheny were noticed on the boardwalk today.

W. C. LITTLE.

## ARRANGED FOR SPORTS.

Thirty Events Will Take Place at Schenley Park Tracks on Labor Day.

The sports and prize committee of the Labor day celebration will meet tomorrow evening in the office of N. G. Glass, business agent of the Sheet Metal Workers, to arrange the program of sporting events

J. A. CONNELLY,
Member of Sports and Prizes Committee.

at the Schenley park race tracks. The committee has been working hard soliciting prizes and by tomorrow evening expects to have sufficient to give each event from two to four prizes. There will be 30 events.

The executive committee divided into several delegations last evening and visited unions for the purpose of inducing them to turn out in the parade. Three locals voted to parade.

## CHAUTAUQUA

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—"Graft" in American life is the theme for discussion at Chautauqua this week. The first address on the subject was given this morning by Inspector James I. Hughes, who spoke on "Influences Which Menace School Administration." He said, in part:

Graft used in a modern sense is a term used when public men accept money for improper reasons. Many men have two consciences, a public and a private one. In America we are learning to have a more lenient conscience for public men than for those in private life. We need not condemn public men. They are just as good as those who elect them. The public school system is the greatest thing America has given to the world, but the grafters reap rich rewards for the text books which are frequently used by their influence. I make no definite statement, but speak of these things from report. The only cure for this evil is to get the public school free from political control or elect only good, pure men to office.

The devotional hour was conducted by Dr. James M. Gray, a prominent evangelistic worker, who spoke on "Saintship" as the bottom round on the ladder of revealed truth.

The Women's club met in the new hall this morning and spent a delightful hour in listening to Miss Marie Shedlock talk on the "Art of Story Telling." It was a somewhat technical treatment of the subject. According to Miss Shedlock, the great story teller is born, not made. She said the elocutionist has shouted down her story telling sister, and that it is a great pity the ordinary elocutionist did not share the fate of her unfortunate sister at Salem. The charming and oft-times witty address was closed by a recital of "The Scandal in the Poultry Yard."

Edward Howard Griggs delivered one of his lectures on "Moral Leaders" this afternoon on "Luther." Mr. Griggs had a very large audience, many people having come to Chautauqua especially to hear and study under him.

This week marks the beginning of his two courses on Browning and Goethe. Several distinctive C. L. S. C. events take place this week. The first opening round table of the season was this afternoon, at which Dr. George Vincent gave a discussion on the "French Revolution." Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker will give readings during the week from "Les Miserables," and her subject this afternoon was "The Good Bishop Makes an Investment." Mrs. Baker's readings are always delightful, but this afternoon's was unusually pleasing.

One of the most popular Chautauqua lecturers is Dr. S. C. Schmucker, and his appearance this evening was heartily applauded. His lectures on "The Meaning of a Flower" was a delightful revelation of new beauties in nature.

# SOCIETY

IN THE beautiful town of Cobourg, Ontario, Canada, the favorite resort of so many Pittsburgh people, at high noon yesterday was solemnized very quietly the marriage of Miss Mary Siebeneck, eldest daughter of Joseph G. Siebeneck of Beech avenue, Allegheny, and Thorsten E. Billquist, a prominent architect of Pittsburgh. The ceremony took place at the summer residence of Mrs. Cyrus B. King, the bride's aunt, who has made her summer home there for the past two seasons. The bride is a niece also of Henry H. King of Pittsburgh and Port Hope, Canada, and of Wilson King of Birmingham, England. Only the immediate members of the family were present.

The bride, who was unattended, looked beautiful in a gown of white crepe de chene and lace, and carried a bouquet of maiden-hair fern. She wore the veil worn by her mother on the occasion of her marriage. Mrs. King's beautiful home was tastefully decorated with flowers, palms and ferns. In the large drawing rooms, where the ceremony took place, were white and pink sweet peas, while the mantel was done in white and banked with palms. The officiating clergyman was Canon Spragge, rector of St. Peter's church in Cobourg. Almost immediately after the wedding breakfast was served Mr. and Mrs. Billquist left on their wedding tour, and will sail on Wednesday for England, where they will visit the bride's relatives. Later they will go to Sweden to visit the bridegroom's old home and his relatives. Mr. Billquist is a graduate of the University of Stockholm. After their return to America Mr. and Mrs. Billquist will make their home with Mr. Siebeneck.

### Pittsburghers in the Adirondacks.

Visitors from Pittsburgh take an active interest in the sports, pastimes and functions at the Hotel Ampersand on the lower Saranac lake. Several families from Pittsburgh have taken cottages at the Ampersand for the summer or have engaged apartments within the hotel for an extended visit. Golf attracts many and it is the delight of a morning to step into a canoe in front of the Ampersand and be "ferried" across the bay to the landing at the Ampersand Golf club. Afternoons are also very pleasant at the club, for the ladies serve tea and frequently engage in handicap events or team matches against the women golfers from other prominent resorts.

While golf and tennis have many devotees the Adirondack canoe and the many pleasant features of an Adirondack vacation, to which the canoe is key, will ever be popular. It is the delight of many from Pittsburgh to combine canoeing with fishing in the waters of the lower Saranac lake. The beautifully wooded shores and islands of the lake are revealed from the pleasant verandas of the Ampersand.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Woods and Miss Bessie Woods are occupying Cosycook cottage at the Ampersand. Clinton Bidwell and Howard Bidwell have opened Overlook cottage for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Gross McConnell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parke Wood of New York city. Mrs. W. R. Huselton, Miss Huselton and Miss Francis Huselton, accompanied by Miss Chambers, are occupying Hemlock lodge at the Ampersand.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver P. Nicola and child are occupying Rockfern cottage at the Ampersand.

Mrs. Joshua Rhodes, Miss Mary Rhodes and Miss Annie L. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ringwalt, Mrs. George Singer, Jr., and Miss E. Louise Singer; H. McKee Graham and Miss Graham have taken apartments for the season. Mrs. J. Clarence Otis H. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Duputy and family are among others at the Ampersand.

### At Home Cards Issued.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Mackay whose wedding was an event of a few weeks ago have issued cards for Thursday days at home after August 1, in Millvale avenue, Shadyside. Mrs. Mackay was Miss Eva A. Thompson before her marriage. She and her husband spent their honeymoon in Chautauqua and Niagara Falls with short trips to points of interest on Lake Chautauqua. They returned last week.

Miss Florence Stocker, a half-sister of the bride, who has been one of the maids, entertained informally on Saturday evening, the guests having been asked to meet her sister, Mrs. Joseph Reilly, of St. Joseph, Mo., who with her son, Master Joseph Reilly, came to Pittsburgh for the wedding and is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Thompson, in Lehigh avenue.

Miss Charlotte Nicholson, who was also a bridesmaid at the wedding, will leave next week for a short visit with Mrs. S. S. Carrier, at her cottage on Lighthouse Point, Lake Chautauqua. Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Digby who announced the engagement of Miss Thompson and Mr. Mackay, left yesterday for Bedford Springs, Pa., accompanied by their son, Burgin Digby. Before returning to Pittsburgh they will go to the seashore.

Mrs. William Irwin Mustin of Shady avenue, and her younger daughter, Miss Agnes Mustin, left the city on Saturday for Bemus Point, Lake Chautauqua, where they will visit for a time. Miss Eleanor Dorrington Mustin and her aunt, Miss Eleanor Dorrington, went to the Assembly Grounds on Saturday where Mrs. Mustin and Miss Agnes will join them in a short time. They expect to be gone for several weeks. Miss Mustin caught Mrs. Mackay's bridal bouquet as she threw it from the stairs before leaving for her wedding trip.

### Exhibition of Summer Work.

Invitations have been issued for an exhibition of their summer work by the children in the Pittsburgh and Allegheny playgrounds and vacation schools which will be given on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week in the different schools. On Wednesday morning from 10 until 12 o'clock a musical drill and exhibition of the work of different departments will be given in the Fourth Ward school, the Eighth Ward and the Twelfth Ward schools of Allegheny. On Thursday, during the same hours, the exhibition of the children in the Sherman Avenue, Irwin Avenue, Fifth Ward and Ninth Ward schools in Allegheny will be given, and on Friday morning in the O'Hara and the Washington school, No. 1, in Pittsburgh. From 2 o'clock until 4 on Wednesday an exhibition will be given in the Wickersham, the Riverside, the Columbian Council and the Grant schools in Pittsburgh and on Friday afternoon, during the same hours, in the Larimer, the Minersville, the Soho and the Forbes schools.

The average daily attendance in the different playgrounds and vacation schools is as follows, in Pittsburgh: O'Hara, 293; Washington, No. 1, 342; Forbes, 377; Soho, 234; Wickersham, 246; Riverside, 120; Larimer, 212; Minersville, 266; Grant, 166; Columbian Council, 238; Washington Recreation park, 150, and the South Side Recreation park, 640. Allegheny: Sherman Avenue, 127; Irwin Avenue, 160; Third Ward, 320; Fourth Ward, 168; Fifth Ward, 269; Eighth Ward, 80; Ninth Ward, 263; Twelfth Ward, 280.

### New Features for the Fall.

A meeting of the board of managers of the public baths and wash house in Lawrenceville was held yesterday morning. The success of the institution since it was opened late in May has exceeded the hopes of the managers, and they are already preparing to inaugurate new features in the fall. The storeroom where the clothing bureau will be is being put into readiness. This was in operation seven years before the erection of the new public baths building in Lawrenceville. Second-hand clothing is solicited and then sold for a nominal price and the money earned by it is used to pay women for mending and repairing the garments and also for sewing for hospitals and other institutions, including the Home for the Friendless.

During June and July over 4,000 people enjoyed the baths, while the report for July showed the record of attendance for two Saturdays as 500 each, and for the other two Saturdays 400 each. The women are patronizing the wash house quite freely, finding it a luxury to have clear water in which to do their family washing, as all the water used in the building is filtered. There is an abundance of hot water also, as there is a storage of 300 gallons of hot water constantly in reserve.

In addition to the clothing bureau the managers expect in the early fall to open the women's and men's club rooms and the day nursery for the children.

### Fishing Club Left for the North.

Mrs. Robert W. Smith of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, chaperoned a party of young women leaving the Union station at 11 o'clock last evening for Sparrow Lake, Canada. The party was composed of 11 members of the J. W. McGinness Fishing club, several members of which left for the north Saturday. In the party leaving last night were Miss Lillie McGinness, Miss Anna Duvall, Miss Mary Campbell, Miss Lydia Campbell, Miss Maud McGinness, Miss Florence Campbell, Miss Milly Heinz, Miss Bella Duvall, Miss Martha Campbell and Miss Elizabeth Reynolds of Cincinnati, who has been the house guest of Miss Mary Campbell of Fineview, Allegheny. Mr. and Mrs. McGinness and Mr. Smith will join the other members of the club next week, all remaining away until September 1. Two weeks will be spent at Sparrow Lake, one at Acton Island in the Muskoka lake region, and the remainder of the trip in Buffalo and Canada. Miss Reynolds will not return with Miss Campbell, but will spend some time in Toronto and in New York city, leaving for her home late in September.

### Considering Plans for Autumn.

An interesting though small meeting of the juvenile court committee was held yesterday in the probation officer's room in the county building. Mrs. Edward E. Crocker, the first vice-chairman, presided in the absence of Miss Kate C. Mead, the chairman, who will be abroad until the middle of September. Little but routine business was attended to and the committee adjourned to meet in October unless an emergency arises when a special meeting will be called.

Mrs. McGarvey of Rochester, a former probation officer, has returned to serve temporarily while Miss Edith Chapman takes a vacation. Mrs. McGarvey came on Friday, commencing her duties at that time.

The committee is considering means of disposing of delinquent children and if the plans fall some definite plans will be taken up which will be the combination of some of the best features of several institutions such as the George Junior republic, Chapman and the parental schools. The committee has the co-operation of an advisory board consisting of prominent business and professional men.

### Planning Entertainments at Cape May.

Judge and Mrs. Elliott Rodgers have planned several entertainments a little out of the ordinary for those who will be their house guests at the Stockton, Cape May. With their guests they will leave on Friday evening for a stay of three weeks. Judge Rodgers has arranged a mixed foursome tournament on the links of the Cape May Golf club and has offered six silver cups as prizes. On each cup is inscribed the date, August 10, and the words, "Mixed Foursome Tournament, presented by Judge Elliott Rodgers."

Miss Eva Stoner will play with her host, and Mark Stoner with the hostess, Miss Bertha Smith and James H. Davidson playing together. On the day following the tournament, which is set for Wednesday, August 10, Judge and Mrs. Rodgers will give a dinner of 25 covers. A crabbing party has also been arranged for. The party will leave Cape May in the morning and go by sail boat to Sewell's Point returning in the evening for a supper consisting of the spoils of the day.

### An Early October Wedding.

"Windsor," the country home in Bellevue of Capt. and Mrs. William B. Rodgers, will be the scene of another handsomely appointed wedding on Thursday, October 6, when their second daughter, Miss Alice Ophelia Rodgers, will wed Herbert Hamilton, also of Bellevue. The wedding will be an evening event and the bride will have as her matron of honor, her sister, Mrs. John Speer Donaldson, at whose wedding last June she was maid of honor. Mr. Hamilton is a son of Mrs. Sarah Hamilton of Bellevue. Capt. and Mrs. Rodgers have taken a cottage in Atlantic City for the month of August where Mr. Hamilton will make week-end visits.

### Off to Canadian Fishing Grounds.

In a special train from the Union depot the Iron City Fishing club left yesterday morning for its camping ground in the Georgian Bay district, Canada. The party was composed of 110 people, many of them members and their guests who were accompanying the club on its twenty-third annual trip. At Buffalo the party went on board the boat bound for "Penetang," and thence will go 40 miles among the thousands of small islands which are within the Georgian Bay. The tents, 40 of them, will be erected by the time the party reaches the camping ground, which includes 125 acres of mainland. The club will be in camp four weeks, returning to Pittsburgh the last of August.

### Wedding Anniversary Celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Jones of East End avenue entertained 60 of their friends in a very pleasant manner on Saturday evening, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The affair took the form of a lawn party, the refreshments being served on small tables placed under the trees, from which hung dozens of Japanese lanterns. An orchestra was stationed on the porch. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were assisted in receiving by their two daughters, Mrs. Anthony H. Clarke and Mrs. Stanley A. McCaskey.

### Coming to Pittsburgh to Live.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Metcalf are coming to Pittsburgh in October to make their home in the East End. The house they have been occupying for a number of years in Oakmont has been sold and they have taken the McCance house in Dallas avenue, beyond Point Breeze. Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf's daughters, Mrs. William R. Varker and Miss Elsie Metcalf, will be with them.

### Social Affairs in Oakmont.

Mrs. Isaac Wade of Oakland, who is spending the summer in Oakmont, has invitations out for a large card party tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and for a "kaffee klatsch" on Thursday afternoon at the same hour. The hostess, who is occupying "Robinswood," the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wade for the summer will be assisted both days by Mrs. George Macrum, Mrs. Alexander Thomas and Miss Elizabeth Wade.

### Notes of Society.

Mrs. Harvey Henderson is in Meadville as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Hamilton.

St. Brigid's Usher club's third annual lawn fete will take place on Thursday evening at Kenwood lawn. A fancy dress carnival will be one of the features.

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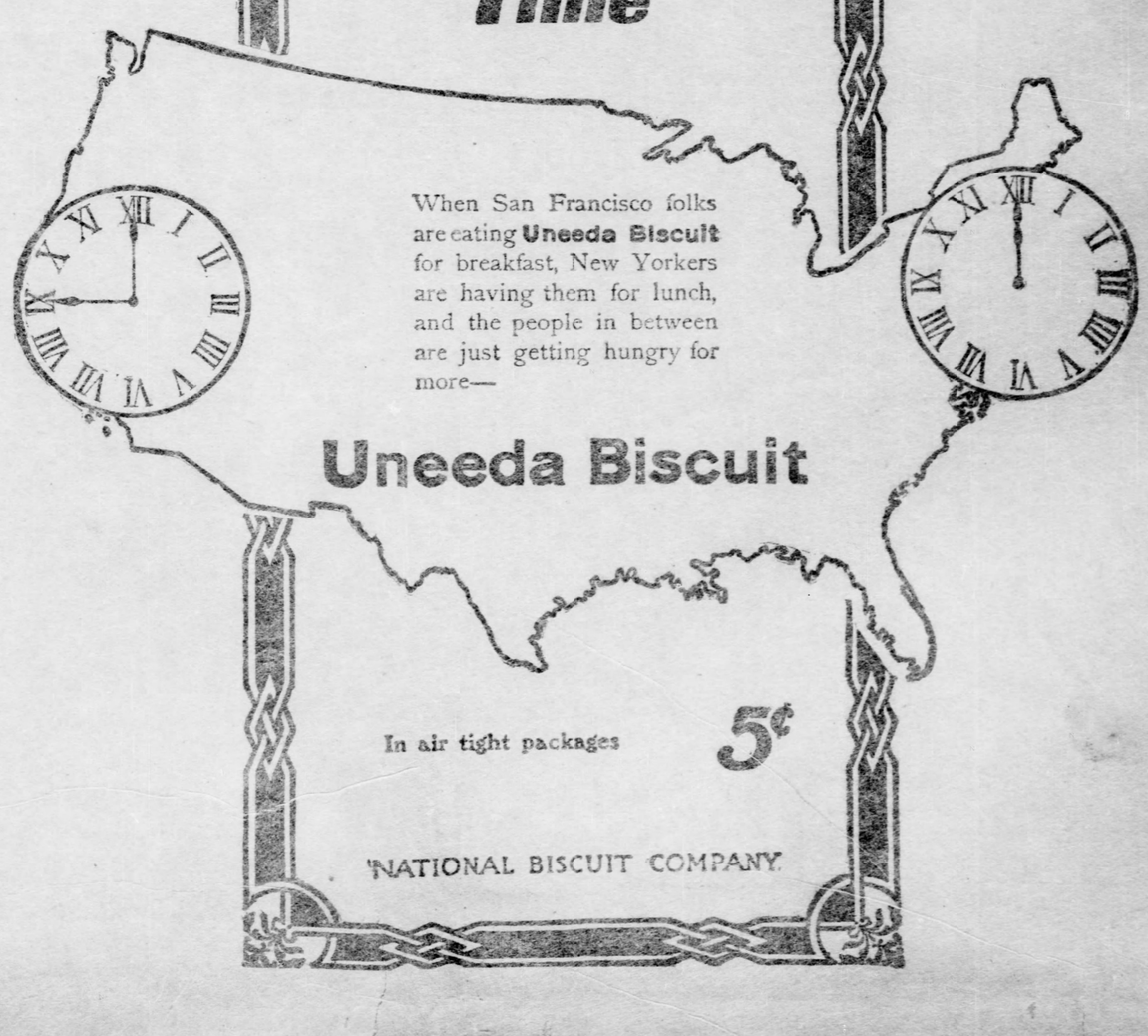

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## Republic Company Not Willing to Meet Wage Committee of Amalgamated Association.

The Republic Iron and Steel Company is averse to reconvening the joint conference to adjust scales for the bolting and finishing departments. On this account President Theodore J. Shaffer of the Amalgamated association, yesterday announced the appointment of Benjamin Davis, a prominent attorney of Birmingham, Ala., to serve on the conciliatory board. This makes the fourth person appointed to fill the arbitrator's position, the three others refusing to accept. Mr. Davis was formerly a mill worker but has been in the legal profession for several years.

Were it not for the uncertainty of the situation the Amalgamated association would not be particular when the scale is adjusted. The mills are all working under a provisional agreement, which stipulates that the men continue work pending a settlement at last year's scale. The company is demanding a reduction of 10 per cent on puddlers' wages and 15 per cent for finishers. Until the scale is signed the men will be receiving more wages than the company is willing to pay.

President Shaffer will leave this morning for Youngstown where he will address a mass meeting of the workers in that district, who are employed by the Carnegie Steel Hoop Company. The scales for this company remain to be settled and no doubt will be a difficult matter to adjust. At a joint conference of the officials of the company and the wage committee of the association, the matter caused a deadlock. The company demanded a big reduction which the men absolutely refused to consider. The conference adjourned to meet at the call of either side.

Since then the conference officials of the company have personally appealed to the workers to be satisfied with them for the present of demanding a reduction. President Shaffer at today's meeting will endeavor to show the workmen that a reduction is unnecessary. After hearing both sides the men will be expected to decide whether or not they will accede to the demands of the company.

### Mission Board Takes Vacation.

The Presbyterian board of missions for freedmen has adjourned the weekly meetings until September. The chairman, the Rev. Dr. E. P. Cowan, leaves today for Hamills Point, Canada, to join the Rev. Dr. H. D. Lindsay and the Rev. Dr. Kennedy, members of the board.

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ALLEGHENY AVE., 1318—Elegantly furnished flat; second floor, front rooms; bath, gases, free telephone.

ARCH ST., 818—Very desirable front room, suitable for doctor's office; central location.

ARCH ST., 705—Three doors above Ohio st., two furnished rooms; men preferred.

ARCH ST., 703—Large front and small connecting furnished rooms; for three gentlemen; all conveniences.

AVERY ST., 811, near park—Comfortable furnished rooms; also connecting rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; rent moderate.

AVERY ST., 611—Nicely furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping; also sleeping rooms; all conveniences.

BEECH AVE., 841—Elegantly furnished second floor front room, every conveniences; also small room; board if desired.

FEDERAL ST., 1307, Allegheny—Second-story front room with board.

FEDERAL ST., 1328—Elegantly furnished front rooms; all conveniences; rent single or en suite.

FEDERAL ST., 1411—Second floor neatly furnished front room; also gentleman roommate wanted.

FEDERAL ST., 1307, Allegheny—Furnished front room, with board.

FEDERAL ST., 1415, Allegheny—Furnished front rooms, complete for light housekeeping; both gases; use of bath and laundry; central location.

FEDERAL ST., 1418—Front rooms for housekeeping, furnished, complete; gases, use of bath and laundry.

FRANKLIN ST., 1513—Very desirable furnished rooms with board; all conveniences.

FREMONT ST., 1734—Two neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; or would rent unfurnished.

JACKSON ST., 410—Large, handsomely furnished rooms; bath, gases, gentlemen preferred.

MONTEREY ST., 1211—Two rooms, furnished for light housekeeping.

MORRISON AVE., 1000, Allegheny—Three unfurnished rooms; hot and cold water; use of laundry; bath, porch, rent $15.

PALO ALTO ST., 1206—Near park; neatly furnished room for two gentlemen; conveniences.

PALO ALTO ST., 1212—Single rooms with board and meal tickets.

PENNSYLVANIA AVE., 1403—Nicely furnished rooms with board; all conveniences; also boarders wanted.

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RACE ST., 1115, near park—Furnished front room; first floor, $3 week.

SEDGWICK ST., 1930—Three very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

SHEFFIELD ST., 1434—Two rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping, bath, gases, 'phone; $4 week.

THE AFTON, 208-210 East Stockton ave.—7 minutes' walk from center of Pittsburgh; well furnished suite of rooms, with private bath room; also double parlors with piano. Bell 'phone 6585-R Cedar.

### FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

#### Allegheny.

WEST NORTH AVE., 412, facing park—Very desirable furnished rooms; bath, gases, 'phone.

WEST NORTH AVE., 308—Neatly furnished rooms, facing park; all conveniences; $2 week up.

### ROOMS AND BOARD.

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PENN AVE., 515, Wilkinsburg—Two nice good-sized furnished rooms for housekeeping or gentlemen; board if desired.

PENN AVE., 515, Wilkinsburg—Two nice, good-sized furnished rooms for gentlemen, with board if desired, or light housekeeping.

SECOND AVE., 4042, Hazelwood—Two large parlor bedrooms; good meals served; meal tickets.

SECOND AVE., 5327—First-class meals served; also good servant girl wanted.

#### East End.

ALDER ST., 6105—Large handsomely furnished rooms; excellent meals; all conveniences; 'phone service.

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COR. FORBES AND SHADY AVES., SQUIRREL HILL—Delightful location, large cool rooms, grounds and shade; good table board. Telephone 9085 J, Highland.

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HIGHLAND AVE., 406 S.—Second-floor front, with alcove, table board; references required.

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HOWE ST., 5505—Large, well furnished second-story front rooms; excellent table board; convenient to cars and Roup station.

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OAKLAND AVE., 249—Large, nicely furnished rooms, with or without board. Bell 'phone 1139-J, Schenley.

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Fifth ave., 6716. Ideal summer location, large porches, lawn, with shade; table board; rooms; references exchanged. Bell 'phone 9138 J, Highland.

#### Allegheny.

ALLEGHENY AVE., 1314—Elegantly furnished rooms, with board; all conveniences.

SECOND-STORY front room with board. 1307 Federal st., Allegheny.

WASHINGTON AVE., 914—Furnished rooms with board; all conveniences; $5 week; 21 meals.

### FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

#### City and Suburban.

FOR RENT—Sewickley, Pa., four unfurnished doctor's rooms, having business prestige for the past 20 years. Call 'phone 86, Sewickley, Pa.

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ROOMS — Four bright, connecting rooms, in Lange's flats; newly papered; large, airy corridors; chiffres; every convenience. Inquire 1624 Colwell st.

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#### East End.

CENTER AVE., 6020, near Penn—Three unfurnished rooms and attic; both gases and water.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished room; one or two gentlemen; a few doors from Highland ave.; near all car lines; boarding near by; private family; references. Address R 145, The Gazette.

FOR RENT—Three nicely papered rooms and bath in new brick house; of laundry and cellar; location, Lincoln district, E. E. Address P. O. Box 1430.

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HERMITAGE ST., 7313—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms; also one furnished room; modern house.

IDLEWILD ST., 7317—Four unfurnished rooms, second floor; all conveniences.

LARIMER AVE., 402—Two, three or four housekeeping rooms, furnished or unfurnished; conveniences.

MARCHAND ST., 6415—Two unfurnished front rooms; bath, gas, range, halls carpeted; front porch, $14 per mo.

MIGONETTE ST., 5717—Second story front room, furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences.

NORTH HIGHLAND AVE., 810—Furnished or unfurnished rooms suitable for housekeeping or studio; board.

OPHELIA ST., 344—Three large airy unfurnished rooms, bath, cupboard, all conveniences.

PORTLAND PLACE, 722, North Negley, near Hays—Two unfurnished rooms, with bath, both gases.

POINT BREEZE, SIMEN AVE., 6812—Half of a house, five rooms; $22.50 per month from September 1.

WILMOT ST. EXT.—Three large airy unfurnished rooms, all conveniences. Address A 125, The Gazette.

#### Allegheny.

BUENA VISTA STREET, 1904—Two unfurnished rooms; suitable for light housekeeping.

THREE unfurnished rooms and attic, 1417 Bidwell st. Apply 909 Arch st.

JUNIATA ST., 1311—Three unfurnished rooms second floor; all conveniences; $12 month.

WASHINGTON AVE., 942—Two or three unfurnished rooms, bath, gases, laundry, stationary tubs, all conveniences; rent reasonable.

WEST NORTH AVE., 706—Two large unfurnished rooms, second floor; running water, both gases.

### FOR RENT.

#### City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT—Dwellings centrally located. 138 Pike st., three rooms, $6 per month. 6 Liberty st., two rooms, $8.50 per month. 3026 Spruce alley, three rooms, $10 per month.

1611 Penn ave., three rooms, $11 per month. 28 Strawberry alley, three rooms, $11.50 per month.

Send for list.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth ave.

#### East End Residences.

FINE HOME IN SHADYSIDE—
MOREWOOD AVENUE DISTRICT.
For Rent—In fine East End residence district, 9-room brick house; all conveniences; hardwood floors. Immediate possession. $60 a month.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

SEND card for complete list of East End houses and apartments and map, free.
S. H. LLOYD,
6022 Penn ave., E. E.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### South Side Residences.

FOR RENT—2616 Carson street, two rooms, $6.50 per month; also 30 South Nineteenth street, two rooms, $5.50 per month. See COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth ave.

#### Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT—Four-roomed house at 1516 Wood street, Second ward, Allegheny; rent $15. Apply at 1379 Monterey street.

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FOR RENT
Suitable for stable, storeage or light manufacturing. Lot 60 feet front. (Will sub-divide if desired). On Seventh street, near Penn avenue. Possession can be had at once. Rent very reasonable. See Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 327-329 Fourth avenue.

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FOR EXCHANGE—HUMP PROPERTY FOR EXCHANGE—We have a business property, 1st 50x1th feet, on Fifth ave., near Washington st. (clear of encumbrance), for exchange for residence property in the East End; this property is a good revenue producer.
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A MONEY MAKER—A FORTUNE.
HOTEL—The best at the famous summer resort, Conneaut Lake; 50 sleeping rooms with all good furnishings; seating capacity of dining room 150, equipped for 130; about 300 feet of lake frontage with new dock which cost $1,000 this spring; engine, gas plant and a full equipment, always full and at the best of prices; owner has made a fortune and is ready to retire; the chance of a lifetime for a good live man. Price $16,000; easy terms. Be quick as this won't last long.
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We buy and sell all kinds of business and real estate; have good, live inquiries for all established business, companies organized and financed. Call or write. All transactions confidential.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM STAND—Doing a great business and is centrally located in one of the best districts of Pittsburgh; 4-room house; for quarters for sale; established over 10 years; selling; will sell to a quick buyer for $900.00.
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4735 Liberty ave.

PRODUCE YARD DISTRICT.
Penn ave., near Eighteenth st. Good three-story building with storeroom; also building in rear, 14x30 feet. Price $650 per foot front. A big bargain. Adjoining properties sold for higher prices. Address H 130, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—An old established fire insurance and rental business in a good live town of 22,000 population, near Pittsburgh. Will go at a bargain.
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SMALL GROCERY—In city, doing business $100 week; price $350. CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

ROOMING HOUSE—In Allegheny, 9 rooms, clearing $25 month; price $400. CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

STORE—For Sale—An attractive grocery store; central location and on corner 711 Madison ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—10 per cent guaranteed stock. Write E 129, The Gazette.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a business, see MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

#### City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE
SUBURBAN HOUSES.
EASY TERMS.
New frame dwellings of 6 rooms and bath and two attic rooms; all modern conveniences. Now ready for occupancy. Located on Emerson place, Allegheny, two squares from Perrysville avenue, just 8 minutes' ride from Allegheny market.

Beautiful new brick dwellings of 9 rooms, reception hall and all modern improvements, located on Kendall avenue, Bellevue.

Here is a bargain in a small frame dwelling, just 15 minutes' ride from the Pittsburgh postoffice: Frame dwelling of 5 rooms, two attic rooms and bath. Price $3,250. Will consider in exchange a lot for cash payment.
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OWNER MUST SELL.
IN THE 19TH WARD.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Four-room house, with stable and large lot, in good condition, and is a bargain
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J. A. S., 607 KEYSTONE BLDG.,
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WILKINSBURG HOMES.
$4,800—Three 8-roomed brick houses, modern conveniences; Millin ave., near cars; $500 cash, balance same rent; best snap in Wilkinsburg. Call and see us. Write or telephone.
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$7,250 ($2,000 cash, remainder mortgage) will buy modern 9-room, reception hall brick house in Trenton ave., near Kelly st., Wilkinsburg. House has 2 bath rooms, instantaneous water heater, cemented cellar, furnace, etc.
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POINT BREEZE DISTRICT.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Fine buff brick residence of 9 rooms, modern and all conveniences, a bargain if sold soon.
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ON account of owner leaving city; on paved street, lot 22x120, with good 5-room house; gas and water in house; also household and furniture included; one bedroom suite alone cost $90; for all $2,600; $1,100 cash, balance mortgage.
HALLER-DIRERT REAL ESTATE CO.,
118 Sheridan ave., E. E.

FOR SALE.
Six-room house, convenient to city; price $1,400; $250 cash, balance same as rent.
HOME REAL ESTATE CO.,
Room 416 Ferguson Bldg.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

$500—SHERADEN—New cottage, 3 rooms, water, gas. M'GHIE, 312 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

#### East End Residences.

FOR SALE—THOMAS BOULEVARD.
COLONIAL DWELLING.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
14 rooms, two bath rooms, center hall. Colonial house, all modern conveniences, surrounded by high class residences; splendid shade trees. THIS IS AN EXCELLENT PLACE.
PRICE $20,000.
Only $5,000 cash needed. Balance on mortgage at 5 per cent.
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**Excellent Bellefield Investment**

Frame, 14-room residence and lot 40x170 feet, in Bellefield district, near new cathedral; $12,500. Easy terms. Parlor, library, dining room, reception hall and kitchen on first floor; 5 bed rooms, second floor; 5 bed rooms, third floor. Hardwood floors, cemented cellar, 2 porches. Good stable with stalls for 3 horses, carriage house and coachman's room.
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311 FOURTH AVE.

CHOICE EAST LIBERTY LOT
FOR SALE.
In very center of business section, 66 feet front.
Price reasonable. Terms easy.
See COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327 Fourth ave.

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FARMS AND HOMES in the southwest, near BATESVILLE, Independence Co., Ark.
No. 115—176 acres, 2 miles from railway town; about half mile from school and church; 85 acres in cultivation; good fences; some timber; 2 houses; 1 has 5 large rooms; a barn and other outbuildings; suting all the house; also good cistern in the yard, orchard of 2 acres; price $1,500.
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P. O. Box 23, East End, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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#### Lots.

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#### For Sale or Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE FOR FARM.
A fine, modern 7-room dwelling, on good paved street, flagstone sidewalks, 20 minutes' walk from Pittsburgh postoffice, with bath, both gases, cement cellar, large front porch, sliding doors, large yard, etc. Price $4,500. Will trade for good, small farm, close to Pittsburgh preferred.

We have a number of desirable city properties to trade for farms. Send full descriptions of farms and we will mail list of city properties.

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Will trade equity in three (3) new brick dwellings for vacant property and small cash payment. The houses are modern eight (8) and ten (10) room dwellings, located in one of the best streets of Wilkinsburg, and are now rented for $100 a month. Price $17,000.
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FOR EXCHANGE—We have a handsome 15-room brick residence, situated on Dithridge street, near Bayard, with all latest improvements; lot 80x187 to an alley; owner will exchange for smaller properties. The house is three years constructed and the situation is first-class; convenient to all street car lines.
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Money to loan on good mortgages. Bring your deed with you and save time.
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### LEGAL NOTICES.

JOHN M. HAVERLY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 524 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Barbara Dochert, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. George C. Dochert, administrator,

# STOCKS DULL BUT STRONG, CLOSING AT THE TOP

## Metropolitan, Steel Preferred and Union Pacific Are Leaders of Their Respective Groups. Local Stocks Nearly Stagnant.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was dull but strong, and closed at the top. There were no London quotations to act as a guide to foreign sentiment, the London exchange being closed for a holiday. News from the far east indicated that what may prove the decisive battle of the war was in progress, but Wall street did not give any sign that it was interested therein. The developments over Sunday were not of an influential character, either at home or abroad. The midsummer heat is driving both customers and brokers away on vacations. As a consequence, the market opened extremely dull and a shade lower. Offerings of stock on the decline were insignificant. After the end of the first half hour a buying movement developed in Metropolitan Street Railway, which easily carried the price up to 120¾, the highest on the day's movement and within 3 per cent of the highest of the year. Metropolitan Securities and Brooklyn Rapid Transit were also higher, and on the curb Interborough closed at a further advance. This group of stocks would be almost the last on the list to respond to any change in industrial or commercial conditions, and their advance yesterday was based upon special considerations, but at the same time they exerted an influence upon speculative sentiment, and the rest of the market soon followed their leadership.

Union Pacific, which has come to be looked upon as a pivotal stock, was one of the most active of the railroads, and after selling at 94¾, rose steadily to 98. Atchison was another very strong feature, advancing 1⅜ per cent to 78, the final sale. This company made a very good report for the month of June and for the fiscal year ending with that month. For June the gross earnings increased $620,861 and the net increased $386,985. This showing would be favorable under any circumstances, but it is particularly gratifying in view of the unfavorable weather conditions that prevailed throughout the month. It reflects a more diversified traffic which enables the road to increased gross earnings, and it also shows that economies have been introduced which made it possible to increase net. For the fiscal year the net income, after taxes, amounted to $23,046,000, an increase of $1,852,000. St. Paul advanced 1 per cent, despite reports of injury to spring wheat in the territory.

The industrial group of railroads were as firm as anything on the list. Pennsylvania rose 1 per cent to 129, Baltimore & Ohio was the next active, United States Steel, in which a fairly large short interest was discovered in the early trading, responded to the manipulative tactics and advance of more or less to this center reported in the weekly bank statement indicating in the opinion of many a relaxation in general business, had no effect whatever on the course of trading. There were revived reports of railroad equipment purchases, which have done duty on many previous occasions. Statement was unfounded, however, by the reports of heavy purchases by the Southern Pacific management, which has hitherto stood out against the pool price for rails. It was stated that no recent orders had been placed by that corporation.

## PITTSBURGHER IS HONORED.

### Charles Davis Carter Will Conduct His Own Overture at the World's Fair Concerts.

Charles Davis Carter, president of the Carter Conservatory of Musical Art, has been invited by the musical director of the world's fair at St. Louis to conduct a performance of his concert overture to Shakespeare's "As You Like It," on Friday evening, August 5. The occasion is an orchestral concert by the Exposition orchestra of 80 instruments.

This composition is an important work of symphonic proportions for full orchestra and has been performed by symphony orchestras in New York, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and Cleveland. Ernest R. Kroeger, director of music of the exposition, heard the performance of this overture by the Cincinnati Symphony orchestra, on which occasion the composer conducted.

## TO DEDICATE CHURCH.

### First House of Worship in New Town Will Open Next Sunday.

Ambridge Methodist Episcopal church will be dedicated next Sunday. This is the first church in the new town. While congregations of other denominations are being organized there has been no other ground broken. The Rev. Dr. T. N. Boyle, presiding elder of the district, will officiate and preach the sermon in the morning.

In the afternoon a platform meeting will be held, during which addresses will be made by Dr. Boyle and the Revs. B. F. Beazell, D. D., J. J. Hill, D. D., Appleton Bash, D. D., and A. J. Asb, D. D. The pastor, the Rev. J. E. Wright, will speak.

## Closing Bids and Offers.

| STOCKS. | Par. | Bid. | Ask. |
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| Allegheny Nat. Bank, Pgh.. | 50 | 120 | .... |
| *Bank of Pittsburgh..... | 50 | 154 | .... |
| Federal National..... | 100 | .... | 188 |
| Arsenal Bank..... | 50 | 135 | .... |
| Lincoln National..... | 100 | 240 | .... |
| Mechanics' & Manufacturers'.. | 50 | 70 | .... |
| Iron City Trust..... | 100 | 115 | .... |
| Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust.. | 100 | 200 | .... |
| Manufacturers Light & Heat. | 50 | 31½ | 32 |
| Ohio Fuel Supply..... | 25 | 97 | .... |
| Peoples Fipage..... | 25 | 20 | 24 |
| Citizens Traction..... | 50 | .... | 70 |
| Luster Mining..... | 10 | 10½ | .... |
| Pleasant Valley Traction.... | 25 | 25½ | 26 |
| Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.. | 50 | 22½ | 24 |
| Westinghouse Elec. 2nd pfd.. | 50 | 78½ | 79¼ |
| Consolidated Ice..... | 50 | 5½ | 6 |
| Crucible Steel..... | 100 | 5¾ | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 39½ | .... |
| Harbison-Walker Co..... | 100 | 4½ | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 40¾ | .... |
| Monongahela River Coal ..... | 50 | 8 | 8½ |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 19 | 20 |
| Marsden..... | 100 | 3¾ | .... |
| National Fire Proofing..... | 50 | 7⅝ | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 28 | .... |
| Pittsburgh Brewing..... | 50 | 25 | 25¾ |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 48¾ | 49 |
| Pittsburgh Coal..... | 100 | .... | 14 |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 50½ | 85¾ |
| Pittsburgh Plate Glass..... | .... | .... | 115 |
| Union Switch & Signal..... | 50 | 67½ | .... |
| United States Steel..... | 100 | 11¾ | 12 |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 61 | .... |
| Westinghouse Airbrake..... | 50 | 130 | .... |

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| P., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s..... | .... | 99 | .... |
| Monongahela L. & P. 5s..... | .... | 104 | .... |
| Pgh., Ress. & L. E. cons. 5s. | .... | 111¾ | .... |
| Pittsburgh Brewing 6s..... | .... | 112¾ | .... |
| P., C., C. & St. L. 4½s..... | .... | .... | 112 |

PIG IRON WARRANTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| A—Southern coke..... | 13.50 | 13.65 |
| B—Northern coke..... | 12.90 | 13.00 |
| C—Virginia coke..... | 12.80 | 13.00 |
| D—Standard Bessemer..... | 12.75 | 13.05 |
| E—Southern charcoal..... | 17.00 | 17.25 |

*Ex-dividend.

### Local Bank Call.

At the call of local bank and trust company stocks yesterday there was but one sale of 10 shares German American Savings & Trust at 155. Bank of Pittsburgh was quoted at 154 bid, ex-dividend. The remainder of the list was nominally unchanged. Following were unposted quotations for small lots:

| | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| Cosmopolitan National..... | .. | 115 |
| Federal National..... | .. | 185 |
| Third National, Pittsburgh..... | .. | 100 |
| North American Savings..... | .. | 100½ |
| Franklin Trust..... | .. | 50 |
| Pittsburgh Life & Trust..... | .. | 100 |
| Safe Deposit & Trust, Pgh..... | .. | 388 |
| Commonwealth Trust..... | 170 | 177 |
| Iron City Trust..... | 116 | 117 |
| Home Trust..... | .. | 120 |
| Continental Trust..... | 80 | .... |
| International Trust..... | .. | 25 |
| Hilltop Trust..... | .. | 70 |

## NOTES AND COMMENT.

The situation in steel preferred seems to be this: In May and June it looked as though the bottom had again fallen out of the iron market, and traders sold the stock short freely. In the early part of July there was an improvement in sentiment, which was reflected in an advance in the stock, but it was the judgment of some of the oldest men in the business that actual improvement in the iron market is not to be expected in July and August. Wall street professionals therefore increased their short sales, so that the total amount of outstanding shorts is, in the estimation of good judges, almost if not altogether as large now as at any time during the year. Meanwhile the various pools in the iron trade met and reaffirmed prices. This was done in the face of protestations that large consumers would not pay the pool prices. Needs of consumers continued to accumulate, and confident predictions were made that next year would witness a resumption of activity. Everybody was going to put off obtaining supplies until next year. It seems to have occurred to some of the longer-headed consumers that if everybody was going to get busy next year, perhaps it would be well to get in ahead of the general public with orders. If consumers entered the market at all what is being done now. There were numerous reports yesterday that sentimental improvement had given place to actual improvement. These reports were responsible for buying orders for the preferred, and these buyers absorbed the offerings that the shorts expected to get. If the short interest in Steel preferred once "gets on the run," the price may be carried above what conservative people think should be the level until the outlook in the trade is altogether beyond dispute.

It is expected that the Westinghouse Electric Company will issue a circular this afternoon inviting stockholders to subscribe for the first mailing treasury stock. In the absence of an official statement the street has jumped to the conclusion that the subscription price will be $80 a share, the same as last year. With the market value at present somewhat fluctuating, it is not likely that the average stockholder would pay $80 a share. The only advantage would be that subscriptions would be payable in installments. A special dispatch to The Gazette from New York last week stated that a syndicate had underwritten 37,500 shares of the proposed total issue of 50,000 shares. There has been some discussion in local financial circles as to the commission the underwriters would receive. Some brokers put the figure as high as $5 a share, which would make the cost of the new stock to the syndicate $75 a share.

The most reliable commentary on the situation of the meat-packers' strike is the receipts of live stock at Chicago. Yesterday there were received 38,000 head of hogs, which was 18,000 head above the estimates. In addition to this there were 25,000 head of cattle and 17,000 head of sheep. Unless the packers felt that they were able to take care of the receipts, and anticipated a very active trade, to find each day's receipts cleaned up, they would have been stopped en route, or shippers would have been notified to hold them back.

The earnings of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Greenburg Railway for July, 1904, were $20,350, an increase of $9,022, or 78.2 per cent over the corresponding month last year. The earnings for the first seven months of 1904 were $89,144 73, an increase of $24,348, or 37.5 per cent over the corresponding period of 1903.

The Second National Bank of Pittsburgh has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 7½ per cent, payable forthwith. This puts the the eighty-second dividend paid by this bank.

The exports of copper for July were 18,770 tons, an increase of 10,565 tons. Amalgamated Copper crossed 82 yesterday and closed at a net gain of 1⅜ per cent.

A letter just received from a close observing friend of Watson & Albers, New York brokers, who is traveling in Russia says: "Southern Russia is burning up with the drought, and the wheat crops are almost ruined and are being harvested. The grain is too short to be cut with a machine and is being cut by hand. Corn, of which there is an immense acreage, has suffered so much that it is beginning to 'eure' and will soon need rain very much. The grass and pasture lands are burned as brown as a graham loaf, not a green plant visible, and the roads are inches deep in fine brown dust, which rises in clouds at the slightest wind gust. All this is very depressing, and as we receive no more Berlin papers to bring us the news of the outside world, I shall be glad to soon leave this country and be on the waters of the blue Mediterranean again."

The United States Steel Corporation paid $480,000 in Steel Second 5 per cent bonds for the wire plant of the Trenton Iron Company. The company has outstanding $800,000 of its authorized capital, so that the price paid in bonds is equivalent to $80 per share.

At 470, paying $40 a year in dividends, Calumet & Hecla is a cheaper 8½ per cent on the investment, and is the cheapest copper stock listed in Boston, when the income return coupled with the probable increase in market values is taken into consideration.

The $8,000,000 first mortgage bonds to be listed by Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston were issued in 1903 to retire $3,431,100 of 4½s and to pay back to Pennsylvania funds advanced for improvements. The entire $8,000,000 of stock is owned by Pennsylvania.

Thomas M. Benner of the law firm of Scandrett & Barnett, yesterday resigned the position of director in the Guardian Trust Company.

The continuance of the low rates for money makes the carrying of the recent issues of municipal bonds rather attractive. On this account the syndicates which purchased the New York and Philadelphia city bonds have advanced prices rather than close up the syndicates at once. The syndicate carrying the New York city 3½s on the 1954 has three than $3,000,000 of these bonds left. The Philadelphia city bond syndicate also has a very small proportion unsold.

Estimates made by South African houses of the July gold output on the Witwatersrand make it $25,000 ounces, against an actual 308,219 last month. Comparison with previous months and years is as follows:

| | Ounces. | | Ounces |
|---|---|---|---|
| July, 1904 | 325,000 | July, 1903 | 251,645 |
| June, 1904 | 308,219 | July, 1902 | 149,179 |
| May, 1904 | 314,480 | July, 1901 | 25,959 |
| April, 1904 | 305,946 | July, 1900 | 2,000 |
| Mch. 1904 | 308,242 | July, 1899 | 450,474 |
| Feby. 1904 | 289,602 | July, 1898 | 350,343 |
| Jan'y, 1904 | 288,824 | July, 1897 | 242,479 |

Comparatively few industrial enterprises were incorporated in July. The subsidence in chartering new enterprises is best illustrated in the returns filed in the eastern states for the month with $1,000,000 or more authorized capital stock. The total is slightly in excess of $60,000,000. This is by far the smallest amount for any month since February, when the aggregate was only $58,750,000. Following are comparative figures for a period of years, as compiled by "The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin":

| | 1904. | 1903. | 1902 |
|---|---|---|---|
| January | $ 55,750,000 | $ 177,000,000 | $ 146,500,000 |
| Febr'y | 85,750,000 | 175,975,000 | 294,850,000 |
| March | 85,050,000 | 144,975,000 | 158,150,000 |
| April | 74,700,000 | 243,200,000 | 231,675,000 |
| May | 132,000,000 | 307,092,000 | 226,500,000 |
| June | 102,850,000 | 135,658,000 | 196,182,500 |
| July | 61,374,000 | 106,100,000 | 469,858,400 |
| 7 mo. | $567,324,000 | $1,291,601,000 | $1,724,064,200 |
| August | | 77,050,000 | 241,879,550 |
| Sept. | | 79,250,000 | 195,194,500 |
| Oct. | | 67,300,000 | 244,550,000 |
| Nov. | | 56,100,000 | 114,140,000 |
| Dec. | | 82,452,000 | 97,250,000 |

Note—In 1901, when the United States Steel Corporation and the Northern Securities Company were chartered, the total capitalization for the year exceeded $8,700,000,000.

The department of commerce and labor has published a translation from a Swiss paper of an article on foreign investments, which shows much study. It quotes Paul Dehn as an authority for the statement that English capital was invested in foreign investments as follows: 1880-81, $2,856,000,000; 1890-91, $5,307,400,000; 1900-1901, $5,831,200,000; 1903-4, $5,950,000,000. Many of the securities quoted in the last amount of foreign securities in the hands of the English considerably higher. In 1896 estimates made in the London Exchange put the amounts of English money invested in foreign loans at $14,280,000,000, in foreign railroads at $2,927,400,000, and in foreign mining shares at $1,200,400,000. Investing over $20,000,000,000 in loans of various nations, most of which was lost, Germany in 1900 had $2,975,000,000 invested in foreign securities. The amount of French capital invested in foreign countries, according to official information obtained about the middle of 1902, amounted to $5,712,000,000. Of this sum Russia had $1,532,800,000. Belgian capital has been remarkably active and successful in foreign countries. It has done a great deal to develop colonial industries and transportation systems. Acording to official information the beginning of the twentieth century saw Belgian industrial leaders investing $5,232,000 in Germany, $4,284,000 in France, $8,662,000 in Portugal, $1,775,000 in Austria-Hungary, $12,614,000 in Italy, $16,422,000 in Spain, and $66,736,000 in Russia. The increase in the amount of United States capital invested in foreign countries has been surprisingly large. It has been used largely in the establishment of lines of transportation and factories.

A published report of the placing of orders for 60,000 tons of steel rails for the Harriman system was an influence in the strength of United States Steel preferred.

The London Times' report of general damage to European crops was a factor in the wheat market, and appealed more to stock market sentiment than did the reports of harm to spring wheat from too much moisture. The sharp increase in the grain movement and some large foreign buying reported of corn were received with satisfaction.

# FEATURES OF THE DAY.

### IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $5,908,119, a decrease of $1,119,000.

Less than 1,000 shares stock changed hands on the exchange.

Despite the extreme dullness the tone of the market held steady.

Steel preferred led the dealings and closed at a net gain of 1¼.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred sold at 56 and Rivef preferred at 18¼.

Westinghouse Electric closed at 78½ bid and Airbrake at 130 bid.

### IN WALL STREET.

Stock market opened dull, became strong and closed at the top.

The sales foot up 248,500 shares stock and $940,000 bonds.

The largest advance was in Metropolitan, which reached 120¾.

Atchison made a fine report for June and the stock advanced to 78.

Union Pacific advanced to 96 and St. Paul to 147¼.

Steel preferred rallied from 59⅝ to 61¼ and closed at 61 bid.

## COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

| Sales. | STOCKS. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5400 | Atc. T. & S. F. | 76¾ | 78 | 76¾ | 77¾ |
| 200 | Do preferred | 95½ | 96¼ | 95½ | 96¼ |
| | Am. Cot. Oil | .... | .... | .... | 29 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 80 |
| | Am. Sugar Ref. | 129 | 129 | 129 | 129 |
| | Do preferred | 130 | 130 | 130 | 128½ |
| 400 | Am. Locomotive | 21 | 21 | 20¾ | 20¾ |
| 100 | Do preferred | 88 | 88 | 88 | 87¾ |
| | American Can | .... | .... | .... | 4¾ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 40½ |
| 14200 | Amal. Copper | 51¾ | 52½ | 51 | 51½ |
| | Anaconda Copper | .... | .... | .... | 7½ |
| 3500 | Am. S. & Ref. | 56½ | 57¾ | 56½ | 57½ |
| 200 | Do preferred | 99 | 99 | 99 | 99 |
| 100 | American Ice | 68 | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| 200 | Balto. & Ohio | 27¾ | 27¾ | 27 | 27¾ |
| 800 | Balto. & Ohio. | 83½ | 84¼ | 83½ | 84¼ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 92½ |
| 6500 | Brk. Rap. Tran. | 50¾ | 51¾ | 50¾ | 51¾ |
| | Can. Southern | .... | .... | .... | 53 |
| 1800 | Con. Gas | 124½ | 125¾ | 124½ | 125 |
| | Consol. Gas | .... | .... | .... | 192½ |
| | C., C., C. & St. L. | .... | .... | .... | 75½ |
| 100 | Ches. & Ohio | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33¾ |
| 1200 | Chi. Gt. West. | 10¾ | 10¾ | 10¾ | 10¾ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 81 |
| 100 | Chic. & N'w. | 180¼ | 180¼ | 180¼ | 179 |
| 600 | Col. Fuel & Iron | 35¾ | 37 | 35¾ | 36½ |
| 100 | Con. Tobacco | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ | 12⅝ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 92 |
| | Col. Southern | .... | .... | .... | 14½ |
| | Do 1st pfd | .... | .... | .... | 48 |
| 200 | Do 2d pfd | 19½ | 19½ | 19½ | 19½ |
| | Del. L. & W | .... | .... | .... | 265 |
| 300 | Del. & Hudson | 159½ | 160 | 159½ | 160 |
| | Evans. & T. H. | .... | .... | .... | 55 |
| 2100 | Erie | 24½ | 24¾ | 24½ | 24¾ |
| 700 | Do 1st pfd | 64½ | 65¼ | 64½ | 65¼ |
| 100 | Do 2d pfd | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36¾ |
| 100 | Gen. Electric | 162½ | 162½ | 162½ | 161½ |
| | Hocking Valley | .... | .... | .... | 64¾ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 87 |
| 3600 | Illinois Central | 132⅝ | 133¼ | 132⅝ | 133 |
| 200 | Iowa Central | 19 | 19 | 18½ | 18½ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 33 |
| | Internat. Paper | .... | .... | .... | 13½ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 60 |
| | L. E. & W. | .... | .... | .... | 26 |
| | Do preferred | 85 | 85 | 85 | 80 |
| 200 | Louisv. & Nashv. | 114 | 115 | 114 | 114½ |
| 400 | Manhattan | 151 | 151 | 150¾ | 150¾ |
| 4500 | Met. Street Pacific. | 91¾ | 92½ | 91¾ | 92⅛ |
| 100 | Mex. & T. | .... | .... | .... | 18 |
| 100 | Do preferred | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40¾ | 40 |
| 7000 | Metropolitan | 117¾ | 120¾ | 117¾ | 120 |
| 31700 | Mo. Pacific | 88 | 89¾ | 88 | 89¾ |
| 2400 | Mex. Central | 8⅞ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| 5400 | National Lead | 21 | 21⅝ | 20⅝ | 20⅝ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 91 |
| | Nat. Biscuit | 47½ | 47¾ | 47½ | 47½ |
| | Do preferred | 127¾ | 127¾ | 127¾ | 127¾ |
| 500 | N. Y. Central | 119 | 119 | 119 | 119 |
| | N. J. Central | 163 | 163 | 163 | 163 |
| 1200 | N. Y., O. & W. | 30 | 30½ | 30 | 30½ |
| 200 | N. Y. Air Brake | 60½ | 60½ | 60½ | 60½ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 90 |
| 200 | Peoples Gas | 99¾ | 99¾ | 99¾ | 99¾ |
| | Pacific Mail | .... | .... | .... | 26 |
| | Pullman | .... | .... | .... | 217 |
| 200 | Pressed Steel Car | 33 | 33½ | 33 | 33½ |
| 300 | Do preferred | 77½ | 77½ | 77½ | 76½ |
| 12200 | Penna. R. R. | 119 | 120 | 118¾ | 119¾ |
| | Railway Springs | 19 | 19 | 19 | 18¾ |
| | Do preferred | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| 12700 | Reading | 51¾ | 52¾ | 51¾ | 52½ |
| | Do 1st pref | .... | .... | .... | 82½ |
| | Do 2nd pref | .... | .... | .... | 68 |
| 1200 | Rock Island | 22¾ | 22½ | 22 | 22½ |
| 15400 | Do preferred | 65 | 65 | 65 | 64 |
| 500 | Republic Iron | 7½ | 7½ | 7½ | 7½ |
| 300 | Do preferred | 43¾ | 44¾ | 43¾ | 44¾ |
| 9600 | Southern Pacific | 48¾ | 49¾ | 48¾ | 49¾ |
| 1500 | Southern Railway | 23¾ | 23¾ | 23 | 23½ |
| 100 | Do preferred | 58 | 58 | 58 | 58 |
| 7800 | St. Paul | 146¾ | 147¾ | 146¼ | 146¾ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 178¾ |
| | St. L. & S'w. | .... | .... | .... | 13 |
| | Do preferred | 33 | 34 | 33 | 33½ |
| 2100 | Texas Pacific | 25¾ | 25¾ | 25 | 25¾ |
| 15400 | Tenn. Coal & I. | 45¾ | 46¾ | 45¾ | 44¾ |
| | Texas & Pacific | .... | .... | .... | 24¾ |
| 200 | T., St. L. & W. | 25 | 25¼ | 25 | 24¾ |
| 200 | Do preferred | 38 | 38¾ | 38 | 38¾ |
| 5700 | U. S. Rubber | 11¾ | 12⅛ | 11¾ | 12⅛ |
| | Do preferred | 59¾ | 61¼ | 59¾ | 61 |
| | Do 2ds 5% bonds | 78¾ | 78¾ | 78 | 78¾ |
| 20100 | Union Pacific | 94¾ | 96 | 94¾ | 95¾ |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 93¾ |
| 300 | U. S. Leather | 13½ | 13⅝ | 13½ | 13½ |
| 31500 | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 74½ |
| | U. S. Leather | .... | .... | .... | 7 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 82¼ |
| | U.S.Cast Iron Pi. | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17 |
| | Do preferred | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ | 40 |
| 100 | Wabash | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 17 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 36¾ |
| | W., St. L. & P. | .... | .... | .... | 16¾ |
| | W. & L. E. | .... | .... | .... | 57¾ |
| | Do 1st pref | .... | .... | .... | 86¾ |
| | Do 2nd pref | .... | .... | .... | 37 |
| 100 | Wisconsin Cen. | 17⅞ | 17⅞ | 17⅞ | 22 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 74¾ |
| 1100 | M.St.L.& S.S.M. | 73½ | 73½ | 72¾ | 38 |
| 300 | Do preferred | 127 | 127½ | 127 | 72¾ |
| | Va. Car Chem. | 26¾ | 27¼ | 26¾ | 127 |
| | Do preferred | 101¾ | 102¾ | 101 | 27 |
| | Denver & R. G. | .... | .... | .... | 102 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 21 |
| | | | | | 70¾ |

INACTIVE LIST.

| STOCKS. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sales. | | | | |
| 200 Allis Chal. | .... | 11¾ | 11 | 11 |
| 100 Chi. Ua. Trac. | .... | 4½ | 4⅜ | 4⅜ |
| 200 Chi. Ter. Trac. | .... | 6¾ | 6¾ | 6 |
| 100 Corn Product | .... | 12½ | 12⅜ | 12½ |
| 200 D. S. S. & A. pfd | .... | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| 200 Iowa Central | .... | 19 | 18½ | 18½ |
| 1222 M. St. P. & S. S. M. | .... | 73½ | 72½ | 72½ |
| 300 Do preferred | .... | 127½ | 127 | 127 |
| 7510 Met. Subs. | .... | 87½ | 86 | 86½ |
| 100 Minn. & St. L. | .... | 46¾ | 46¾ | 46 |
| 100 Mo., K. & Tex. | .... | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ |
| 100 N. Y. Airbrake | .... | 127¾ | 127½ | 127 |
| 100 Rubber Goods pfd | .... | 79 | 79 | 79 |
| 200 St. L. & G. I. 1st pf. | .... | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| 500 Do 2d pfd. | .... | 21½ | 21 | 20 |
| 200 Sloss-Sheffield | .... | 58 | 58 | 58 |
| 650 Third Avenue | .... | 121½ | 121½ | 121½ |
| 125 Twin City | .... | 95 | 95 | 94¾ |
| 100 U. S. C. Pipe | .... | 7¾ | 7¾ | 7⅞ |
| 100 Do preferred | .... | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ |
| 1000 Va. Car Chem. | .... | 27¼ | 26¾ | 27¼ |
| 1200 Do preferred | .... | 102¼ | 101 | 101 |

### NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| U. S., reg. 2s | 104⅝ | Man. c. gold 4s | 105⅝ |
| Do coupon | 104⅝ | Mexican Cen. 4s | 82½ |
| U. S. 3s, reg | 103½ | Do 1st inc | 14 |
| *Do coupon | 103½ | M. & St. L. 4s | 101¼ |
| U. S. 3s, reg. | 111½ | M. K. & T. 4s | 94¾ |
| *Do coupon | 111¾ | *Do 2nds | 78 |
| U. S. old 4s, reg. | 104¼ | Nat. Mexico c. 4s | 70 |
| Do coupon | 104¾ | N. Y. C. gen. 3½s | 102¾ |
| Atchison gen. 4s | 103¼ | N. J. C. gen. 5s | 123¾ |
| Do adj. 4s | 88¾ | North. Pacific 4s | 105¾ |
| Atl. Coast L. 4s | 99¼ | **Do 3s | 74¾ |
| Balt. & Ohio 4s | 101¾ | N. & W. con. 4s | 101¾ |
| Do 3½s | 94⅞ | *Ore. S. L. 4s | 95½ |
| Can. Pacific 4s | 103⅝ | Penns. conv. 3½s | 98¾ |
| Do 1st Inc. | 79½ | Reading gen. 4s | 99 |
| Ches. & Ohio 4½s | 106¼ | St. L. & I. M. c. 5s | 116½ |
| C. & Alton 3½s | 78 | St. L. & S. F. 4s | 81¾ |
| C. B. & Q. n. 4s | 97 | Do 1st 5s | 104¾ |
| C. M. & St. P. gen. 4s | 109 | Seab'd Air L. 4s | 70¼ |
| *C. & N'w c. 7s | 128¾ | South. Pacific 4s | 89¾ |
| C. R. I. & P. 4s | 73¼ | Southern Ry. 6s | 114¾ |
| Do coll. 5s | 91¼ | Tex. & Pac. 1st | 115¼ |
| C. C. C. & St. L. 4s | 91 | T. St. L. & W. 4s | 75½ |
| Chicago Term. 4s | 73¾ | Union Pacific 4s | 105 |
| *Cons. Tobacco | 62 | Do conv. 4s | 101¾ |
| *Col. & South. 4s | 82½ | U. S. Steel 2nd 8s | 78⅝ |
| D. & R. G. 4s | 97 | Wabash 1st 5s | 117½ |
| Erie prior lien 4s | 98¾ | Do Deb. B. | 55 |
| Do gen. 4s | 84¾ | W. & L. E. 4s | 91¾ |
| H. & T. C. 1st 5s | 109 | Wisconsin Cen. 4s | 96 |
| Hock. Val. 4½s | 108¾ | Col. Fuel conv. 5s | 72 |
| L. & N. unif. 4s | 100¼ | | |

Total sales (par value), $940,000.

*Ex-interest. †Offered.

### New York "Curb" Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer. Elevator | ⅜ | Manhattan Trans. | 1⅝ |
| American Chicle | 85 | Mon. & Bos. Cop. | 1⅛ |
| Do preferred | 73 | N. & Ana. Gas 5s | 107¾ |
| Amer. Thr. Can. | 4¼ | New Orleans Ry. | 9¼ |
| Do preferred | 40¼ | Do preferred | 29 |
| Bay State Gas | ¾ | Do bonds | 74 |
| British Columbia | 2⅝ | Ont. Ry. Transit | 15¼ |
| Central Foundry | 1 | North. Securities | 101 |
| Do preferred | 7 | Otis Elevator | 2¼ |
| Electric Boat | 40 | Do preferred | 88 |
| Do preferred | 70 | Roy. Bak. P. pfd. | 103 |
| Electric Vehicle | 19 | Sendi'd Rad. | 19 |
| Do preferred | 43¼ | Do preferred | 17 |
| Greene Con. Cop. | 14¾ | Standard Oil | 628 |
| Havana Com. | 23 | Tennessee Copper | 28 |
| Do preferred | 70 | Trust of America | 455 |
| Int. Brick & Clay | 1 | Utah Copper | 10 |
| Do preferred | 19 | Tonapah | 7⅜ |
| International Salt | 12 | White Knob | 4½ |
| Do 5s | 45 | Interboro | 115¼ |

### Philadelphia Closing Bids.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer. Railways | 47 | Penna. Steel | 42 |
| Cambria Steel | 19½ | Do preferred | 73 |
| Elec. Storage | 41½ | Philadelphia | 88¾ |
| Cons. Trac. N. J. | 67 | Do preferred | 45 |
| Cons. Lake Sup'r. | 3⅜ | Phila. Traction | 98⅜ |
| Do preferred | 7 | Phila. Elec. Co. | 6 |
| Elec. Stor. com. | 69 | Tidewater Steel | ½ |
| Do preferred | 2½ | Union Traction | 50¼ |
| Elec. Co. Amer. | 9½ | United Gas Impt. | 84½ |
| Penna. R. R. | 59 11-16 | Welsbach Co. | 20 |

### Boston Stocks and Bonds.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 77⅜ | American Sugar | 129 |
| Do preferred | 95¼ | Do preferred | 129¾ |
| Boston & Albany | 256 | Amer. Tel. & Tel. | 132½ |
| Boston & Maine | 195 | American Woolen | 11¾ |
| Boston Elevated | 148¾ | Do preferred | 76½ |
| Mexican Central | 5½ | Dom. Iron & Steel | 8⅞ |
| N. Y. N. H. & H. | 189 | Mass. Gas | 89¼ |
| Pere Marquette | 74 | United Fruit | 105 |
| Union Pacific | 95¾ | United Shoe Mach. | 50½ |
| Am. Agr. Chem. | 14¼ | Do preferred | 33 |
| Do preferred | 75 | U. S. Steel | 12 |
| Am. Pneum. Tube | 4 | Do preferred | 61 |

*Bid. †Asked.

### Electric Stocks at Boston.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Westingh'se com. | 79 | Mass. Electric | 17½ |
| Edison Elec. Il. | 240 | Do preferred | 69½ |
| *General Electric | 162 | | |

*Bid.

### Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

## THE MONEY MARKET

In local banking circles business is quiet in all departments. The demand for money from stock brokers is light and the rate on call loans is easy at 5@6 per cent. Commercial loans are quoted at 6 per cent. Clearing house comparisons:

| | Exchanges. | Balances. |
|---|---|---|
| Yesterday | $5,908,119 28 | $1,690,406 60 |
| Last week | 6,181,852 73 | 1,112,258 93 |
| Last year | 7,027,359 56 | 1,536,101 38 |

### Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures for the month of July, 1904, shows a deficit of $17,407,128 as against a deficit of $7,778,513 for July last year. This large deficit is accounted for by a falling off in the receipts from customs and internal revenue, and increased expenditures on civil and miscellaneous and war and navy accounts.

The total collections for the month of July were $46,786,387 as follows: Customs, $13,483,-746, decrease as compared with July 1903, $620,000; internal revenue, $20,594,641, decrease, $1,725,759; miscellaneous, $7,008,812; increase, $5,563,607. This increase in the miscellaneous revenues is largely accounted for by the receipt of $4,952,580,670, on discharge of a Central Pacific note for that amount.

The expenditures for July, 1904, aggregated $64,194,115 and included: War, $18,454,284; increase, $530,000; and navy, $12,163,283; increase, $4,584,000. There was an increase in the interest payments of $301,000, accounted for by the fact that last year the July interest was anticipated to a large extent.

### Circulation Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The monthly comparative circulation statement issued by the comptroller of the currency shows that at the close of business July 30, 1904, the total outstanding circulation, notes of national banks was $480,206,888, an increase for the year of $32,880,401, and for the month of $871,783. The amount of circulation based on United States bonds was $415,285,191, an increase for the year of $37,418,320, and for the month of $2,265,767. The circulation secured by lawful money amounted to $65,381,722, a decrease for the year of $4,537,620, and for the month of $1,268,914. The amount of United States bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was $417,988,600, and the amount of United States bonds held to secure public deposits and national banks was $129,-577,550.

### New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87@9 for demand and at $4 83 for sixty days; posted rates, $4 85½@4 86 and $4 88@4 88½; commercial bills, $4 84⅞; bar silver, 78⅝c; Mexican dollars, 45¾c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady. Money on call easy, 5@6 per cent; closing, 5@6 per cent; offered at 6 per cent; time loans firmer; 60 days, 2¼ per cent; 90 days, 2¼@3 per cent; six months, 3½@3¾ per cent.

### Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official receipts of the sub-treasury were $5,328, against $143,748 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by banks to government $3,223,000. Balance on the day's transactions paid by government to the banks. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $2,088,000, against $1,577,000 paid by government to banks for the corresponding period a week ago, and $2,020,000 paid by banks to government a year ago.

### Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,

# FIFTH AVENUE PROPERTY SOLD

## W. L. Sloan Sells No. 1417 to Charles Ruben for $21,000 or $1,000 a Foot.

### LIVELY BOOM AT BEN AVON

Sales of property in outer Fifth avenue have taken on a new significance since the defeat of the hump removal ordinance and every deal in that locality is watched with interest as to its relation with former valuations. An interesting transaction of that kind came to the sale yesterday of the property at 1417 Fifth avenue, which belonged to Attorney W. L. Sloan. Mr. Sloan bought it one year ago from George C. Norris for $21,000, and this is the exact figure which he received for it yesterday, the buyer being Charles Ruben, who already has considerable property in the hump district. The Sloan lot measures 21x60 feet on the north side of Fifth avenue, near Dithridge street, and is improved with a two-story and mansard brick building. This makes the rate of sale $1,000 a front foot, or somewhat less than would have been asked, but for the previous to the hump defeat. Whether other property owners will dispose of their holdings as Mr. Sloan has, in the belief that there is not likely to be any material change in values for some time, is uncertain, but the eager haste of buyers to secure hump holdings at fancy prices has evidently subsided.

Thomas Twyford, of the Land Title & Trust Company has sold for Mrs. Elizabeth McHendry to G. L. Follansbee (33 College avenue, near Aiken street), Twentieth ward, a 10-room two-story brick and frame house, on a lot 40x100 feet, for $16,500. The purchase was made for a home.

### Boom at Ben Avon.

Ben Avon is experiencing one of the most healthy real estate and building booms to be found around Pittsburgh this summer. Owing in part to the proposed street car extension and partly to the improvements being made in the borough the demand for home sites is increasing steadily and building is very active. At least 20 houses are now under way in the borough and half as many more will be started before the end of the season. Fifty-fifth street, between Church avenue and School street. A few days ago J. Fulmer O'Neil awarded the contract to the Commercial Building Company for five houses to be built in Forest and Breading avenues at a cost of from $6,000 to $8,000 each. Today the borough council will let the contract for three more in Orlando avenue and Brighton road. J. Campbell White has started a $5,000 house and J. W. McIlvaine a $6,000 residence in Breading avenue. Mrs. Emma Wenig will build a $5,000 house in Breading and Hiland avenues, and Architect Edward J. Carlisle has plans for an $8,000 house for himself in Breading avenue, near Church avenue. Work is now in progress on the $5,000 house in Breading avenue and Dr. E. H. Sloan will build a fine residence at

# ANTHRACITE MEN WILL NOT STRIKE

## Dispute Likely to Be Referred to Locals, but Neither Side Wants Trouble.

## ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TODAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SCRANTON, PA., Aug. 1.—The executive board of the United Mine Workers, district No. 1, held a 10-hour session today and adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

District President Nicholls made no statement as to the business transacted, excepting that an official statement would be made tomorrow. There will be no strike. That seems assured. Neither the mine workers nor operators desire one at present, and it seems rather a question for the mine workers to devise some modus operandi whereby the differences can be overcome. They will probably refer the disputes to the various locals, with a request to vote on a proposition which is now under consideration.

President W. L. Connell of the conciliation board has not received a request to call a meeting of that body. President Dettery of the Hazelton district not having yet acted upon the instructions from the employes of Coxe Brothers & Company. Mr. Dettery was in Scranton today, but took no part in the meeting.

C. F. O'Neill, the official sliding scale commissioner, was in Scranton today. He explained that he was here to gather information regarding the dispute in regard to net earnings instead of gross earnings.

## OPERATORS APPARENTLY TIRED OF COL. WRIGHT

### Another Umpire to Decide Dispute Likely—He Explains the Situation to President Roosevelt.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The anthracite coal operators, the indications are, would be glad to get rid of Col. Carroll D. Wright as umpire between them and their men. They seem to be magnifying the fact that some of the operatives at Wilkesbarre, for instance, and elsewhere have notioned in the request for a check weighman as an offset to the check weighman of the owners of the mines, they have asked that another umpire pass on the question.

Col. Wright, who has been in Pennsylvania lately, was at the White House today and called on the President to make his report on wages and labor and fully sketched the causes of contention at this time between the operatives and miners on the check-weighing matter. Col. Wright said to one of his friends today with a little asperity: "Why if the operators don't want me as umpire, they can get another."

Col. Wright's position as understood here is that if a majority of the operatives, as at Coxe Brothers' colliery, are willing to be assessed for a check weighman all of the operatives ought to pay this rate. The operators object to this decision. No one here seems to understand why they object, unless it be to create a division among the operatives and to incite some of them against the umpire.

The questions involved are still open, and it is noted here that the united mine workers' officials are meeting today in Scranton on the general subject of the check weighman.

Col. Wright is confident there will be no strike, and is quoted as saying that Mr. Baer himself does not think there will be a strike.

## MARK TWAIN'S DAUGHTER IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

### She Was Riding Horseback When the Animal Was Struck by a Trolley Car.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

LENOX, MASS., Aug. 1.—It developed this afternoon that the "Miss Julia Gordon of New York," who was hurled from her horse and injured by a trolley car in South Lee on last Saturday night, was Miss Jane Clemens, daughter of Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain). Her companion reported as being "Joseph Drake of New York" was Rodman Gilder, eldest son of Richard Watson Gilder, editor of the Century magazine.

Miss Clemens had a remarkable escape from death. The horse she was riding became frightened at the headlight on the trolley car, bolted directly in front of the car and was struck by it at a slow rate. She was thrown off and suffered a fracture of the right ankle, besides a number of bruises on her right side. The horse was severely injured that he had to be killed.

## CHURCH CASE POSTPONED.

### Owing to Absence of Witness No Action in Montgomery Trouble.

There was no hearing yesterday in the trouble between Elder Edmond P. Heath and the Rev. Samuel T. Montgomery of the Jefferson township United Presbyterian church by the presbyterial committee investigating the charges of assault preferred by the elder against the pastor.

The committee, the Revs. J. W. English and J. M. Wallace, D. D., and Samuel Young, met yesterday morning in the United Presbyterian book rooms and held a short conference. No witnesses appeared. The committee stated that no further investigation will be made until September.

### AMERICAN PIANO HONORED BY ROME

**Pope Pius X Grants Warrant of Appointment to the Weber Piano Company.**

The Weber Piano Company will hereafter be entitled to use the Papal coat-of-arms. The permission is incorporated in a document just received from Rome which announces that his holiness has selected the Weber piano for his personal use in the Holy Apostolic palaces. This is regarded as a remarkable product and is believed to be the first document of this kind received in this country from Pius X.

While distinctly a product of American genius, should the fact of the Pope coming from such a distinguished source the papal appointment derives additional interest from the well known fact that the present pope is a profound student of music. The recent changes in church music inaugurated by him have caused general comment among musicians outside as well as within the church. That such an eminent authority should have selected an American piano for first place in the vatican is regarded as of the greatest significance, not merely to the Weber Piano Company, but to American art interests generally. It is occasioning comment among musicians at home and abroad that the Weber, which distinctively a product of American genius, should have received the preference to any of the well known pianos of Germany, England or France.

Since the Weber interests were united with those of the Aeolian company, handsome and artistic quarters have been secured for this representative American piano in the principal cities of Europe. The Weber occupies its own home in London, Paris and Berlin, the London building being declared by the English papers to be the most sumptuous warerooms devoted to the musical trade to be found anywhere in Europe.

The appointment by the pope following so closely upon that of King Alfonso XIII of Spain, also to the Weber piano, shows that critical Europe is not unwilling to recognize the merits of American products provided they can demonstrate superiority to foreign made goods.

The Weber pianos are sold in Pittsburgh only by the C. C. Mellor Company, 516, 518 and 521 Fifth avenue.

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# TAMMANY LEADER PICKS CANDIDATE

## Murphy Would Compromise on Governor to Get an Anti-Hill Man.

## PARKER WILL GO TO ST. LOUIS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 1.

Leader Charles F. Murphy, while protesting that Tammany had no candidate for gubernatorial honors, expressed himself favorably today on the candidacy of Charles W. Goodyear of Buffalo, ex-President Cleveland's former law partner, for the nomination. He denied that he had talked the matter over with Goodyear or that he had seen him recently.

Goodyear is not a Hill man and Murphy's indorsement may mean that he does not expect to be able to name the gubernatorial candidate and would be willing to accept a non-Hill man from up the state, as a compromise. With Murphy's approval the Goodyear boom takes on respectable proportions.

Grover Cleveland has declared that Goodyear's nomination would be "the wisest and best that possibly could be made." Then, too, Mr. Goodyear is reputed to be worth $20,000,000.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Judge Parker's invitation to Richard Olney of Massachusetts to visit "Rosemount," has been accepted and Mr. Olney is expected within a fortnight. It is understood here that Grover Cleveland has been invited to spend a day at "Rosemount" on his way home from New Hamoshire, where he is spending the summer.

Judge Parker says that he has had so little experience in receiving political letters that he cannot say whether the mail he gets indicates any great political realignment, but he thinks not. A great proportion of the mail of this character comes from the south.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—Information has been received at the New York world's fair building that Judge and Mrs. Alton B. Parker have accepted the invitation of Norman E. Mack to be his guests on New York day at the exposition, October 4.

## RAPID TRANSIT MERGER SAID TO BE ARRANGED

### Combination of New York Street Railways Awaits the Signature of P. A. B. Widener.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Interests prominent in Wall street affairs this afternoon asserted that a deal is positively on for a new practical merger of Interborough Rapid Transit and Metropolitan Street Railway has been arranged, and that the final and fomal closing of the deal only awaits the arrival of P. A. B. Widener, who is now on his way from Europe.

In the five weeks since the negotiations are said to have been closed Metropolitan Street Railway has moved up from 107 to 120, crosing that price for the first time on this movement today. Interborough in about the same time has moved up 20 points.

It was conjectured in Wall street circles that the only way in which the merger can be carried through is by joint ownership of Metropolitan Securities by the Ryan-Widener-Belmont interests. Metropolitan Securities is capitalized at $30,000,000 of which half has been paid in cash. It owns the entire $20,000,000 capital stock of the New York City Railway Company, which leases the Metropolitan Street Railway company on a guarantee of 7 per cent annual dividends.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

## ENGLISHMEN ENJOY THE BANK HOLIDAY

### King and Queen Attend Opening of Regatta Week—American Yacht Protests Over Collision.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The bank holiday was celebrated today throught out the United Kingdom. In London none of the government offices was open and bonds and in every other of the 14 banks, stock exchanges and business houses were closed. Brilliant weather prevailed and in consequence the river and seaside resorts were crowded.

At Cowes, Isle of Wight, King Edward, Queen Alexandra and a large assembly of fashionable people attended the opening of Regatta week. The weather was fine, but the wind was light, only enough to flutter the innumerable burgees flying from the yachts which crowded the roadstead. The first race was a handicap for yachts of over 100 tons, in which Emperor William's new 1,400 ton yacht the Ingomar, owned by Morton F. Plant of New York, among others participated.

The Ingomar maintained that the White Heather had collided with her. No decision on the protest of the Ingomar was rendered tonight.

## WALL IS NOT WANTED.

### Citizens of Harrisburg in Mass Meeting Protest Against Proposed "Repairs" to the Capitol Grounds.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 1.—(Special.)—Resolutions protesting against the erection of any kind of a wall around capitol park were unanimously adopted at a meeting tonight of the citizens of Harrisburg. It was also the sense of the meeting that it was not within the province of the board of public grounds and buildings to award a contract for the erection of a wall under the head of "repairs" in the schedule for state supplies, and that the money should be appropriated by a special act of legislature.

The protest will be presented to the board at its meeting tomorrow to consider the plans for the capitol park improvements, prepared by Joseph M. Huston of Philadelphia, architect of the new capitol. The plans contemplate a wall, with a balistrade of a height of 7 feet on Third street, 8 feet on North street, 8½ feet on Fourth street and 6½ feet on Walnut street.

Owing to the opposition of the people of Harrisburg to the plans, it is thought they will be modified by the board so as to reduce the size of the wall and abandon a portion of the contemplated park improvement.

## CAMPERS ARE LEAVING.

### With Their Outfits They Steam Up the River to Points in West Virginia.

The camping fever has seized upon vacationists with a vengeance, and every boat that leaves Pittsburgh for the wood regions up the Monongahela river carries on it several parties bent on this kind of recreation.

On Saturday half a dozen parties, fully equipped with outfits, started up the river. Yesterday the largest party of the season, 18 business men, left on the Columbia for Morgantown. Most of the campers are headed for Morgantown, Ft. Marion and Mt. Chateau, where numbers of them have enjoyed a two weeks' outing in former years. There are also a number of smaller resorts along the Monongahela which are claiming dozens of Pittsburghers.

Good fishing, cool bathing and boating waters are the attractions which these resorts offer, and being within easy distance of the city they are more popular this year than ever.

### Two Undesirables Sent Back.

Assistant Immigrant Inspector Thomas Thomas will leave this evening for New York with two immigrants for deportation. One of them is Franco Montanhi, who landed here last November. The other is Christian Spanoulus, a Greek, who landed last April. The former is insane and the latter is suffering with chronic rheumatism.

### Workman Fell from Scaffold.

Frederick Conn, aged 30, fell from a scaffold on which he was working yesterday and was injured on the head, face and body. He was taken to his home in Fifth avenue, Homestead.

# VENEZUELA MAY HAVE TO FIGHT

## Duplicity Charged Against Republic's Supreme Court in Asphalt Case.

## CAUSE FOR ENGLISH DEMAND

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Prof. J. B. Moore, former assistant secretary of the state department, and John B. Lindsay of New York, appeared at the state department today representing the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company, whose property has been practically confiscated by President Castro of Venezuela, and made formal protest against such action. Minister Bowen reported briefly on this case today to the department.

The visitors were able to inform the department that Great Britain had formally protested against Castro's action on the ground that about $1,000,000 worth of the company's bonds are held by English citizens. The department has received unofficially a denial of the report that Germany had sent an ultimatum to Venezuela. The state department officials, however, express the hope that there will not be again a reason for a "peaceful blockade" of Venezuelan ports.

As to the asphalt case, it is thought here that the state department will be able to show in a few minutes after the arrival of Minister Bowen's mail report, the duplicity of the action of the Venezuelan supreme court, and as that is the basis of the action of Castro's appointing a receiver, his whole contention will crumble and he will be obliged either to fight, reinstate the company or pay a punitive indemnity.

Mr. Bowen says that A. H. Carner, formerly connected with the New York and Bermudez Company, was named receiver of the property of the Venezuelan supreme court. Before the company was advised of the suit to throw it into the hands of a custodian Mr. Carner had started for the asphalt lake of the company on a Venezuelan warship. It is held that the action of the court was directed by the government and shows that the court proceedings were only a pretense to screen the illegal action of the government.

It is alleged by the government, Mr. Bowen says in his dispatch, that the company failed to carry out part of the conditions under which it obtained a concession. The company is said to have agreed to canalize certain rivers and to develop other resources of the country besides asphalt.

Acting Secretary Loomis says he does not believe the action of the supreme court of Venezuela is final in this case, and believes justice can be had from the southern republic as soon as the United States is fully advised of the facts which led up to the seizure of the property.

### No Ultimatum to Venezuela.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—The foreign office here denies the report from Caracas that the German minister has presented an ultimatum to the Venezuelan government.

## WORK IS PROGRESSING ON PENNSYLVANIA CANAL

### Vice President Rea Expects to Begin Navigation at Buffalo Next Spring.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—President Cassatt and Vice President Samuel Rea of the Pennsylvania railroad have been giving much attention to the development of extraordinary freight terminal facilities at Buffalo, where the Western New York & Pennsylvania division of the Pennsylvania system has already built up a large coal and ore traffic, in conjunction with the Goodyear Brothers, who control the Buffalo & Susquehanna railroad the Pennsylvania management is constructing a ship canal which cuts inland from Lake Erie just south of Buffalo. Vice President Rea inspected the rapidly advancing work on this canal recently and expressed the opinion that it would be ready for navigation next spring.

This new waterway is one mile long, 200 feet wide and 28 feet deep at low tide. It is designed to accommodate the largest steamers on the great lakes. All along one side will be the broad docks, train yards and warehouses of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. On the other side will be the terminals of the Buffalo & Susquehanna railroad, connecting with the plant of the Buffalo Susquehanna Iron Company.

At the mouth of the canal substantial piers of masonry and iron will extend out into the lake, and these will be protected by a heavy sea wall. Not far from the canal is situated the Lackawanna steel plant, which has already cost $5,400,000 and gives employment to about 6,000 persons.

The cost of the new canal will be in the neighborhood of $6,000,000, but the improvements and industries adjacent to it will represent investments aggregating not less than $75,000,000. Both the Pennsylvania railroad and the Goodyear interests are building lake steamers of uncommonly large size to carry freight to and from this canal.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

## ONE DEAD; ONE DYING.

### Head-On Collision Between Trolley Cars Is Responsible for Two Fatalities.

WESTBORO, MASS., Aug. 1.—A score of persons were injured, two of them fatally, in a head-on collision between two trolley cars on the Boston & Worcester Street railway, three miles from Westboro, today.

Mrs. Caroline Stewart, Winthrop Beach, has died of her injuries, and John Doe, motorman, of Wellesley, cannot live.

Miss Maud McGuire, an actress, whose stage name is Maud Thornton and whose home is in Boston, had her right leg crushed. It was amputated and she is in a serious condition.

The accident occurred at a steep incline and was due to a misunderstanding of orders relating to the passing of cars. The westbound car carried 31 passengers and the other 35.

## CONTINUE AT WORK.

### Window Glass Workers Are Averse to a Summer Shut-Down.

None of the cutters and flatteners at work in the machine plants of the American Window Glass Company stopped work last Saturday because of the fact that notices were sent out by President William Phillips of the Amalgamated association of Window Glass Workers, that unless they left the plants on that day and remained idle during the balace of the summer shutdown they would not be given work in the human blower blants next fire.

This fact proves that the parent workers' organization, Local Assembly No. 300, controls the window glass situation as far as workmen are concerned. The Knights of Labor body claims the men have a right to work if they so desire, as President St. Peter intends to secure men to fill the places of all those who stop work.

## CHURCH TO CHANGE SECT.

### Smith Methodist Episcopal Congregation to Be Absorbed by Presbyterian Mission Board.

The Smith Methodist Episcopal church of West Liberty will probably change its denomination tomorrow and become a Presbyterian congregation. The Rev. W. S. Fulton, chairman of the board of Presbyterian home missions, has been offered the church property on the basis of assuming the church debt of $1,000 and making a cash payment of $1,175.

Acting upon this offer Mr. Fulton yesterday appointed a committee, consisting of the Rev. Dr. George W. Chalfant, W. A. Booth and William C. Lilley, to inspect the property today and report to the home mission board at a special meeting tomorrow afternoon. According to information in possession of the board negative to the property the offer in all likelihood will be accepted. In such case a new pastor will be installed.

# WAGES ADVANCE BEYOND LIVING

## Remarkable Prosperity Shown by the Labor Commissioner's Report to President.

## WILL BE CAMPAIGN DOCUMENT

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 30, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1.

True prosperity, the kind that puts money in the savings banks and multiplies the number of workingmen's homes, is described in the report made to President Roosevelt by Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright today. It was a report showing the relative increase in the cost of living and the increase in wages, and it demonstrates beyond any reasonable doubt that the increase in wages had been greater from 1894 to 1903 than the increase in the cost of living. In that period of nine years the cost of living went up 10.6 per cent, but in the same period wages advanced 18.8 per cent. The year 1894 marked a time of great depression, immediately following the panic of '93 and made memorable by the enactment of the Wilson tariff bill that disturbed business conditions and stagnated industry.

Another comparison is made in Commissioner Wright's report, the years taken being 1896, when business had somewhat recovered its equilibrium, and 1903. The figures for this stretch of seven years show that the cost of living increased 15.5 per cent, and in the same time wages advanced 16.6 per cent.

### Report Is Conservative.

The report was compiled in a very careful manner and if anything it exaggerated on the side of conservatism. In arriving at the cost of living retail prices of food were taken at the extreme limit. All articles entering into the family expenses were taken account of. The increase in wages takes no account of the greatly increased number of men employed in 1903 over 1896. There are many thousands now working and receiving good wages who seven or eight years ago were idle and unable to find employment at any price.

The bureau of labor in compiling this report has secured figures covering 519 occupations, representing 67 different lines of industry and embracing 3,420 establishments. These establishments were located in every part of the United States and not a manufacturing center in the country was omitted. In this way the report is thoroughly representative of the nation.

These figures also show that from 1890 there has been a gradual decrease in the hours of daily labor. The figures given above are based on hourly wages. As there has been a decrease in the hours of labor, the increase in weekly wages has not been quite so great as in hourly wages. The increase in weekly wages in 1903 was 12.9 per cent greater than in 1896 and 14.9 per cent greater than in 1890. In 1903 the hours of labor per week were 4.1 per cent less than in 1896; 3.5 per cent less than in 1890, and 7 per cent less than in 1892.

### Big Increase in Business.

The manufacturing establishments that were running continuously from 1890 to 1903 paid out on the average of wages 45.1 per cent more in 1903 than they did in 1896 and 54.4 per cent more than they did in 1894. These same establishments employed 26.6 per cent more men in 1903 than in 1896 and 54.3 per cent more than in 1894. These figures give a good idea of the great increase that has been made in business in the past decade.

The report submitted by Commissioner Wright, while compiled in the regular line of the work of that bureau, promises to become one of the most important documents in the presidential campaign. It demonstrates that the prosperity that has come with the Republican administration has been real and solid, and it refutes the assertions of Democratic stump speakers that the cost of living has increased far beyond the advance in wages. The Democratic committees has in circulation charts showing that the price of living necessities has increased 37 per cent from 1897 to 1903. This estimate is proven to be entirely incorrect by the report of the bureau of labor, which challenges any one to dispute its figures and the deductions drawn from them.

L. W. STRAYER.

## FINNS FILE A PROTEST.

### It Is Made Against Russia's Acts by National Alliance of Finns in America.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Finnish National Alliance of the United States has issued a public declaration concerning the attitude of Finland to Russia, in which it says:

"We regard it as our duty to assure the amicable American people and the entire civilized world, that there is not a respectable man or woman in Finland—excepting fortune seekers in St. Petersburg—who does not grieve in despair over the downtearing of her most sacred human and civil rights, the ruin of her educational institutions and the destruction of her judicial system of civil government, for which has been substituted a state of lawlessness and despotism.

"We are aware that the Finnish people in spite of all means of compulsion, still regard, in accordance with the declaration of their representative body, the Russian military ultimatum emptied through forceful methods, as illegal and unlawful, and even though some sort of a representative body might be convened by compulsory ways and means, as is the intention at present, for the purpose of approving all these violations of law, we Finns think that the Finnish people, as long as the present conditions prevail in their country, can neither be nor are they in such a position as to become responsible in any manner for the actions of this prospective congress."

## ARMENIANS ON A RAID.

### Ambush Soldiers and Fire Villages. Try to Escape to Russia, but Are Prevented.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 1.—Official telegrams report that a band of Armenian revolutionists ambushed a party of soldiers in the neighborhood of Mush. On the arrival of reinforcements the Armenians fled, setting fire to three villages on their way.

Another band of Armenians numbering 60 attacked the village of Mossum, in the Vilayet of Erzerum, but was repulsed by the garrison and attempted to escape to the Russian frontier. The escape of the band, however, was prevented by the frontier guards, only four of the Armenians getting away.

### Pullman Car Works Closing Departments

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Twelve hundred workmen at the Pullman car works have been laid off since June 1, because of lack of business. Half a dozen departments of the big plant are idle.


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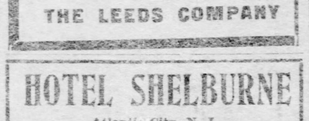

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